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JURORS FOR MAY COURT.

GRAND JURORS 2ND MONDAY 13TH DAY
Bigelow, John C, farmer, Porter
Burkett S S, farmer, Jackson
Buck Scott, farmer, Warriorsmark
Browning T D, civil engineer, Orbisonia
Colabine J D, gent, Brady
Douglass Fillmore, engineer, Huntingdon
Duvall Gideon, farmer, Clay
Geissinger John, farmer, Juniata
Hunter W P, farmer, Jackson
Heller Harry, clerk, Birmingham
Hampton David, laborer, Dublin.
Hoffman H J painter, Huntingdon
Johnson Thomas, engineer, Mt Union
Judy George, farmer, Franklin
Krepps George, farmer, Spruce Creek
Longacre Frank, bricklayer, Mt Union
Miller Jacob M, farmer, Penn
Numer David, laborer, Huntingdon
Norris J M, miller, Penn
Rinker Joseph, farmer, Penn
Ripple Thomas, laborer, Mt Union
Strickler H Dill, plasterer, Huntingdon
Smith J O, farmer, Cass
Yoder Solomon, farmer, Brady

PETIT JURORS 2ND MONDAY 13TH DAY.

Allison John W, guard, Huntingdon
Apgar Albert, supt, Huntingdon
Brown Miles, agent, Saltillo
Brown Ed, laborer, Mapleton
Buchanan James, laborer, Mapleton
Bradley Harry, miner, Carbon
Bush Rudolph, farmer, Juniata
Brandt D S, farmer, Shirley
Chamberlain Daniel, farmer, Warriorsmark
Corbin Charles W, farmer, Cass
Carr William, teamster, Carbon
Chilcote Daniel, laborer, Smithfield
Coulter Thos J, barber, Huntingdon
Flasher John, street commissioner, Huntingdon
Fry Charles W, guard, Huntingdon
French V G, stable boss, Carbon
Goss James, farmer, Brady.
Henderson E C, farmer, Smithfield
Henderson Walter, farmer, Warriorsmark
Heeter L O, farmer, Tod
Hileman Curtin, farmer, Cromwell
Hock Harry, clerk, Rockhill
Holden Robert M, Engineer, Huntingdon
Isett John D, miller, Spruce Creek
Lynn William, farmer, Cromwell
Mattern John, farmer, Warriorsmark
McCoy Thomas E, farmer, Henderson
Miller Miles, farmer, Union
Mitchell George, farmer, Cromwell
McClain N L, clerk, Wood
Martin T S, merchant, Alexandria
Neff H G, justice peace, Alexandria
Painter Samuel, laborer, Cromwell
Park A M, farmer, Cass
Pheasant Coleman, farmer, Union
Rhom David, laborer, Huntingdon
Rodgers R J, laborer, Cromwell
Stone H H, laborer, Penn
Shore W Scott, carpenter, Union
Smith Sohn E, carpenter, Rockhill
Stall Millard, farmer, Barree
Shope Henry, farmer, Clay
Schell Samuel, farmer, Penn
Thompson W B, farmer, Juniata
Tyson A J, painter, Porter
Weaver William, farmer, Cass
Williamson Samuel, farmer, Jackson
Zillius John, railroader, Huntingdon

TRAVERSE JURORS, 3RD MONDAY, 20TH DAY.
Ashman Sigel, farmer, Clay
Beck Martin, farmer, Warriorsmark
Beck Willis, carpenter, Huntingdon
Bell Walter, laborer, Huntingdon
Baker George W, laborer, Hopewell
Clark Edward, woodsman, Carbon
Cornelius Charles, sawyer, Shade Gap
Cresswell W M, plasterer, Tod
Decker Albert, carpenter, Huntingdon
Edmiston John, farmer, West
Evans Amos, farmer, Cass
Foster Cloyd, clerk, Huntingdon
Gilland W R, farmer, Tell
Garver Lloyd, farmer, Cromwell
Heck William P, farmer, Union
Hagie George, plasterer, Cromwell
Hannawalt Wesley, stonemason, Huntingdon
Isenberg E M, farmer, Spruce Creek
Leonard Samuel, farmer, Cromwell
Lloyd Abner, farmer, Lincoln
Lynn Calvin, farmer, Springfield
Love D H, merchant, Tell
Lock Grant, laborer, Springfield
Lankard Carl, lumberman, Alexandria
Lobb Charles, teacher, Hopewell
Lamberson H H, carpenter, Tod
Mvers Daniel, blacksmith, Shirley
Miller B F, farmer, Shirley
McGee William, farmer, Hopewell
Oaks W W, farmer, Barree
Russell Isaac, farmer, Hopewell
Rinker B F, butcher, Mt Union
Stewart Guy, laborer, Huntingdon
Stinson John, guard, Smithfield
Shank John, farmer, Warriorsmark
Stapleton Thomas, farmer, Cass
Vaughn T T, farmer, Tell
Ward Ralph, farmer, Walker
Wright Jesse, miner, Coalmont
Wilson John A, collector, Jackson
Young C H, farmer, Penn

PERSONAL NOTES.

"Welcome the Coming, Speed the Parting Guest."

—Charles Moore was in Harrisburg Saturday.

—Fred Isenberg, of Alexandria, was in town yesterday.

—LaFayette Smith, of Altoona, is visiting at his home in town.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Wood are spending this week in Pittsburgh.

—J. K. Wiley, of Neelyton, was in town on business yesterday.

—George Hughes and Samuel Ingram, of Juniata, were in town Sunday.

—Miss Bertha Shoop, of Altoona, visited at her home in town Sunday.

—Walter Lytle and wife, of Huntingdon spent Saturday among friends in town.

—Mrs. Ella Weston, of Altoona, spent Saturday among friends and relatives in town.

—Samuel Harvey, of Lewistown, was in town last week and called at the Item office.

—Rev Holtzman is spending this week at the home of his parents in Millersburg, Penna.

—Misses Helen and Mary Grey, of Pittsburgh, spent Monday with Mrs. Katie Spangler.

—Miss Grace Numer, of Altoona, was a visitor at the home of her grandmother Mrs. Elizabeth Numer, in town last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Howard and daughter, of Huntingdon, circulated among their numerous friends in town Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Loppenkorb, of Pittsburgh, spent Saturday at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Smith in Smith Valley.

—W. H. Mounts and John M. White were in Tyrone Sunday, being on a visit to F. D. Heeter, whose health is in a precarious condition.

—H. H. Lamberson, of Trough Creek, while visiting in town during the past few days re-roofed his mother's house on Sherman street and made other improvements.

—Samuel Rickabaugh and family, of Todd, were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Coder and other friends in town. Mrs. Rickabaugh is a sister of Mrs. Coder.

—E. G. Smith, of Huntingdon, who did the work of repainting and papering A. W. Swope's house on Grant street last week, has been awarded the contract of remodeling the United Brethren Church. The consideration is \$250.

CASSVILLE.

Rev. Reeser conducted Quarterly meeting services on Sunday at Trough Creek. Dr. W. W. Evans was present and held the business meeting on Monday.

We are sorry to record the serious illness of Miss. Sadie Pheasant, of Smith Valley. Dr. Hamilton and Dr. McClain held a consultation on Sunday.

It seems to be an assured fact that Cassville will soon have a band, the boys are holding meetings, and getting in shape. They have a number of instruments and will order more.

Your correspondent visited recently at the hospitable home of Clayton Greenland they have a very fine organ, a Swiss music box and an excellent graphophone with all the latest record, Edison.

Cassville seems to be following the example of Huntingdon and other cities and a really "booming" two Ice Cream parlors, two butchers, wagon driving in with milk, eggs and butter, pretty soon we shall be having electric lights.

Juniata College Library Formally Dedicated.

The Carnegie Library, a beautiful structure costing \$35,000, was formally dedicated at Juniata College, Huntingdon, on Wednesday, with all the pomp and ceremony incident to such occasions. Ex-Governor Pennypacker, Dr. Joseph Swayne, president of Swathmore college, State Librarian Thomas L. Montgomery, Dr. N. G. Schaeffer, superintendent of public instruction, and Dr. M. G. Brumbaugh, superintendent of the Philadelphia schools and president of Juniata college, were present and made addresses. At 7:30 o'clock in the evening "Fundress Day" was observed at Juniata college in celebration of the thirty-fifth anniversary of the institution.

RECENT DEATHS.

George W. Smith.

Dr. George W. Smith, a retired physician of Hollidaysburg, and one of the most prominent citizens of that town, died at his residence there Monday evening, April 22d, at 5:45 o'clock. Dr. Smith sustained a stroke of paralysis two years ago, which left him a permanent invalid. He was in his apartments making a change of dress, and called a servant, who was in another part of the house, to his assistance. When the man came to the room, he found his master reclining in a chair, the vital spark of life having fled. Dr. Smith was a native of Huntingdon county, where he was born in Trough Creek, March 4, 1835. His father Levi Smith, also a native of Huntingdon county, died in 1874. He received an academic education at the Cassville seminary, and was graduated from that institution in 1857 with the degree of A. B. He had chosen to fit himself for the profession of medicine, and accordingly entered the office of Dr. Charles Bower, one of Mifflin County's best known physicians. He attended lectures at the University of Pennsylvania, and was graduated in 1862. That same year he located at Hollidaysburg and settled himself to establish a practice and won his way to a recognized place, and having reached it, held it upon the strength of the merits by which he had gained it. He was a member of the American Medical association, the Pennsylvania Medical society, and Juniata Medical society, of the Academy of Medicine and Surgery of Altoona. In 1862, he entered the United States military service, as assistant surgeon of the Fifty-fourth regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers.

He was a past master of Juniata lodge, No 282, F. & A. M., a companion of Mount Moriah Chapter, No 166, and Mountain Commandry No. 10, Knights Templar. He was also a member of the Hollidaysburg Conclave of Heptasophs.

Dr. Smith was twice married. His first wife was Elizabeth T. McCune, daughter of Hon. Seth R. McCune by whom he had four children. Mrs. Smith died in 1891. In 1874, he married Eliza B., daughter of former Congressman Samuel Calvin, of Hollidaysburg. To that union were born three children. The funeral took place Thursday afternoon with interment at Hollidaysburg.

His mother, Mrs. Mary Smith, who is 91 years of age, resides in Trough Creek. The following brothers survive: S. P., Airydale; Isaac, Manhattan, Kan.; Leonard, Trough Creek; Miles E. Huntingdon.

Mary Belle Mountain.

Mary Belle daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Mountain died of spinal meningitis at the home of her grand parents Mr. and Mrs. Adam Bagshaw of Juniata township April 22 aged 4 months. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Millington on Wednesday interment being made at hawns cemetery.

Baseball Season Now Open.

The great American game, baseball, is now in full swing. Baseball fans know that THE PHILADELPHIA PRESS is the authority on sporting news of all kinds, and games are fully reported in THE PRESS every day. Keep posted in baseball and read THE PHILADELPHIA DAILY AND SUNDAY PRESS

Bounty Offered for the Killing of Noxious Animals.

Governor Stuart has approved the Kiess bill appropriating \$50,000 for the payment of bounties for the destruction of noxious animals. The bounties are as follows: Wild cat, \$4; fox, 2; weasel or mink, 1. To secure the bounty you must take the carcass or pelt before a justice, swear that you killed it, and you are then given a certificate to the county commissioners who give you an order for the amount on the county treasurer who is reimbursed at the end of the year by the state. For collecting illegal bounties the punishment is a fine of from \$100 to \$500, or one day in jail for each dollar fine.

LOCAL NEWS.

Brief Items of Happenings in and About the Town.

Talk up the Fourth of July celebration Barnum and Baily's circus exhibited in Altoona Monday. Mapleton was represented.

A system of electric block signals is being installed east and west of Mapleton. It will be operated from the BP telegraph office.

Harry Wakefield had the misfortune to roll a stone on his foot last week while employed at the Pittsburgh sand works west of town.

It has been unofficially announced that the trial of the murderers of Raphael Gentile, of Mount Union, will take place at May court.

Samuel Ingram, of Juniata, addressed the men's meeting at the United Brethren Church Sunday afternoon. His address was appreciated by a good audience.

The Walnut Grove Campmeeting this year promises to be the best in its history. The tents are already being engaged and a good crowd is expected. The session will convene from August 9 to 18.

Why not draw the crowds to Mapleton on the 4th? The grove south of town on the Jack's Mountain road is one whose equal cannot be found in a many day's journey. Pure water and restful shade!

When you leave home for an extended visit don't forget to have the ITEM sent to you. It comes every week like a big letter from home. Subscribe for the ITEM for your relative or friend in a distant part. It is an appreciated gift.

Governor Stewart has signed the trolley bill. Another campaign pledge is carried out. This will, in all probability settle the question of trolleys running from Huntingdon to Mount Union, and from Mill Creek to Belleville. Since trolleys have the right to carry freight the companies can compete with the railroad companies.

Baseball News.

A full page of sporting news of all kinds appears in THE PHILADELPHIA PRESS daily and four pages on Sunday. All the latest news and gossip of the Baseball Diamond and all games worth while are fully reported in THE PHILADELPHIA PRESS. If you do not read THE PRESS you cannot keep posted on up-to-date sports.

When your back aches it is almost invariably an indication that something is wrong with your kidneys. Weak, diseased kidneys frequently cause a break down of the entire system. DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills afford prompt relief for weak kidneys, backache, inflammation of the bladder and all urinary troubles. Sold by Wright & Dell.

DeWitt's Carbolyzed Witch Hazel Salve does not merely heal on the surface; it penetrates the pores and promptly relieves pain, caused by boils, burns, scalds, cuts and skin diseases. It is especially goods for piles. Beware of imitations. Sold by Wright & Dell.

When your food has not been properly digested the entire system is impaired in the same proportion. Your stomach needs help. Kodol For Indigestion and Dispepsia not only digests what you eat, it tones the stomach and adds strength to the whole body. Makes rich pure blood. Kodol conforms to the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by Wright & Dell.

Some Important Changes in the Game Laws.

Governor Stuart has signed the three bills making changes in the hunting or game laws. One makes the open season for woodcock, pheasant and wild turkey from October 1 to December 1, adding fifteen days. Another adds one month to the rabbit season and makes the time from October 1 to December 1. The third makes the open season for killing deer from November 15 to December 1, and prohibits the killing of doe deer. How is the hunter to distinguish in the distance a spike buck from a doe? Perhaps the Game Commission will tag the doe's with a sign in big red letters: "This is a doe; don't shoot."

"Joseph Faithful In Prison".

The Regular Sunday School Subject Discussed at Men's Meeting Sunday.

An Address by Samuel Ingram.

The Mens Brotherhood, of the United Brethren church, had the banner day of its existence in the church yesterday, when the largest attendance yet greeted the speaker, Mr. Samuel Ingram of the Y. M. C. A. of Juniata, Pa., who held the attention of all for about one hour in bringing before the Brotherhood the ideal life of Joseph, and no doubt the practical thoughts so beautifully presented will never be forgotten, and will be practiced in the lives of the men. All men over sixteen years of age are invited to attend on Sunday afternoons at 8:00. Topic for next Sunday: "Joseph the Wise Ruler of Egypt."

Mr. Hicks' Western Letter.

(Continued from last week.)

gravel of light gray color, the trimmings are of pale green with a roof of dark red tile a combination most pleasing to the eye, architecture of moorish design. Everything about the railroad indicated thrift and energy so evident through this western territory of Uncle Sam's dominion.

Just east of Bismark we saw the first corn fields since passing through Illinois and Iowa, and our western route, and as our eyes wandered over the hundreds of acres of beautiful corn, nodding as the summer breezes gently kept it in motion. The thought of what the harvest would be, grew into such vast proportions as to completely baffle comprehension.

At Steele, Dakota we saw a remarkable display of all form of machinery. Reapers, mowers, portable engines of all sizes and conditions. The day was seemingly about to close so far as the business of the machine men was concerned. Dozens of teams stood ready to depart to their various ranches, all attached to some kind of implement. Far out on the rolling land could be seen implements drawn by horses, and engines under steam taking one or more pieces of farm machinery to its future place of activity. Jamestown was reached about seven thirty of the second evening of our Eastern trip. Like all towns of any size along this great northern artery of commerce, we found here all modern improvements, as electric lights, street railways and buildings of the most substantial and artistic make up. Night closed in on us soon after leaving this point and our attention was turned again to the companionship of our fellow travelers. During the day all were intent on seeing the beautiful scene which passed before us as we were hurried along by our tireless iron horse. About ten o'clock when engrossed in conversation, the brakeman called out Mapleton. For the instant our mind took in familiar scenes and throwing up the car windows I sought to acquaint myself with this western Mapleton but the stop was short, and one fact was plain and that was, there was no mountains and as we pulled away a solitary light near the ground far away on the level land, indicated a ranchman's cabin and the schedule being consulted showed us that we had yet about fourteen hundred miles to travel before the brakeman's call of Mapleton would have the right ring for us and cause us to gather up our belongings with a glad feeling of again being among our beloved mountains, and at home.

The following morning found us nearing the great twin cities of the northwest, where the buzzing machinery of every description indicates their commercial supremacy. To attempt to portray what we saw during the day which we spent sight seeing in St. Paul and Minneapolis, would I am sure exhaust the patience of my readers to say nothing of the necessity time in sharpening lead pencils. The complete railroad facilities of the Northern Pacific and other lines in their Union Depot at St. Paul, where seemingly every available comfort necessity for the traveling public have been anticipated by the railway management. A couple days at Blakeley, Minn., with Mr. and Mrs. Dean were spent in resting and fully discussing Huntingdon County and its legion of friends, Mr. and Mrs. Dean both having spent their youthful days there are interested in all that pertains to their old home county, and the writer being a native born and almost constant resident in the county since his natal day, finds great pleasure in comparing other parts of the country, with this particular part of the old Keystone state which is home for us, and as yet there has nothing caused us for a moment to swerve from our opinion that on the banks of the blue Juniata, where the Indian maiden roamed, and the whoop of the whip-poor-will, blends with the merry serenade of the frogs as they welcome the coming spring time, the bobolink of summer and the call of Bob White as he scuttles through the stubble field with his mate, surpasses all other sections for beauties in nature, great garden of wonders.

Pe-ru-na Relieves Spring Catarrh.



MISS DORA HAYDEN.

"Without hesitation I write to thank you for the great relief I have found in your valuable medicine, Peruna, and will call the attention of all my friends suffering with catarrh to that fact. Besides I cheerfully recommend it to all suffering with catarrh in any form."—Miss Dora Hayden, 819 6th St., S. W., Washington, D. C.

A Case of Spring Catarrh.

Mrs. N. P. Lawler, 423½ N. Broadway, Pittsburg, Kas., writes: "Last spring I caught a severe cold, which developed into a serious case of catarrh. I felt weak and sick, and could neither eat nor sleep well. A member of our club who had been cured of catarrh through the use of Peruna advised me to try it, and I did so at once. I expected help, but nothing like the wonderful change for the better I observed almost as soon as I started taking it. In three days I felt much better, and within two weeks I was in fine health. Peruna is a wonderful medicine."

Are You Ruptured?

Why not have it cured? Send at once letter or postal, with your address and principal facts. We will mail trial treatment, without cost to you, that will give immediate relief from the effects of cumbersome and dangerous trusses. We also send our free book on the "Cause, Care and Cure of Rupture." This explains how you may be entirely cured by small cost, by Dr. H. R. Kline, M.D., 459 W. S. Erie, Pa.

It is said that the Crown Prince is the only one remaining of the Kaiser's children who is not left-handed.

FITS, St. Vitus' Dance, Nervous Diseases permanently cured by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. \$2 trial bottle and treatise free. Dr. H. R. Kline, M.D., 931 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

A. Anvil was appointed to office in Philadelphia the other day.

For more reasons than one, Garfield Tea is the best choice when a laxative is needed; it is Pure, Pleasant to take, Mild and Potent. Guaranteed under the Food and Drugs Law.

A Carnegie hero medal has been found in a pawnshop.

BABY IN TERRIBLE STATE.

Awful Humor Eating Away Face—Body a Mass of Sores—Cuticura Cures in Two Weeks.

"My little daughter broke out all over her body with a humor, and we used everything recommended, but without results. I called in three doctors, but she continued to grow worse. Her body was a mass of sores, and her little face was being eaten away. Her ears looked as if they would drop off. Neighbors advised me to get Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and before I had used half of the cake of Soap and box of Ointment the sores had all healed, and my little one's face and body were as clear as a new-born babe's. I would not be without it again if it cost five dollars, instead of seventy-five cents. Mrs. George J. Steese, 701 Cornburn St., Akron, Ohio, Aug. 30, 1905."

The alfalfa is Oklahoma's State emblem.

Sandwich Making Wonders.

On good journalistic authority there is a Connecticut landlord who is an expert sandwich maker or ham cutter, whichever he may prefer to be called. He says that he can, and often has, cut meat for 250 sandwiches from a twelve-pound ham. He told the story with pride, and it was printed in his local paper with more pride, and reprinted in a New York paper with awe and admiration, yet it cannot be believed that this is any extraordinary feat in ham cutting and sandwich making.

In some of the Providence restaurants there are cutters and trimmers who are undoubtedly capable of making up 250 sandwiches from a twelve-pound ham, and when they have done it there is ham enough left to provide minced ham a la gneschoftelfeldchen for the next day's menu, to say nothing of the bone which is generally worked over into ham soup for the second day thereafter. And once there was a church bazaar at which the chairwoman of the supper directresses made 316 sandwiches from an eleven-pound ham, and had enough left so that she considered it worth while to take the remnant home with her.—Providence Journal.

The Holy Jumpers.

The death of a "Holy Jumper" by a fall from the roof of a house on which he is supposed to have been dancing in religious ecstasy will serve to remind the older generation of the vogue this sect had about twenty-five years ago and the sensation their practices and beliefs created. According to my recollection they were an extremely demonstrative people, of the shouting and hand clapping type, who added to these practices the curious but not necessarily objectionable habit of jumping about during their religious devotions. They pursued a policy of keeping all their money in a common fund. The moral and religious teachings of the sect were not in any way questionable, but the complete absorption of its devotees led to the breaking up of families, and for a time created much bitterness. It comes like a reminiscence of the past to read of them after this lapse of time.—Philadelphia Record.

Paper For Engaged Couples.

Switzerland has a newspaper specially for engaged couples. Agents all over the country collect particulars concerning couples who have become engaged to be married, and their names, addresses and particulars of their social position appear in this weekly journal. Every girl whose name is thus mentioned receives the paper free for one year, the subscribers to it being chiefly tradespeople, who send advertisements of their goods to those whose names are so published.

Shy One Bull: Fined \$200.

The manager who would advertise his forty minstrels, "count 'em," in Mexico, and then put on his show with about ten men all told, would not escape as easily as he does in the States.

Because the number of bulls produced for a bull fight in Monterey, the other Sunday, were one short of the advertised number, the manager was fined \$200 by the municipal authorities.—Modern Mexico.

Henry Fielding's Tablet.

A memorial tablet recently was placed in the house in which Henry Fielding and his sister Sarah lived in Bath, England.

PEACE BIRDS DEPART, WAR BIRDS GATHER.



—Drawn by Cartoonist DeMar, for the Philadelphia Record.

SPECTACULAR MARINE PAGEANT OF ALL NATIONS AT NORFOLK

In Spotless Array Uncle Sam's Great Armada Awaits in Hampton Roads the Foreign Guests of the Jamestown Ter-Centennial Exposition.

Norfolk, Va. — Americans have turned from thoughts of the International Peace Conference to the most splendid international war spectacle this country and probably the world has ever seen. The Jamestown Ter-Centennial Exposition, the newest world's fair, will be "a military, naval, marine and historic exhibition," according to the official statements. History will be given its due at the Exposition as well as the arts of peace, but the distinctive feature will be the sight of Hampton Roads—already a famous naval arena—alive with the fighting craft of many nations, the shores glittering with soldiers in friendly rendezvous.

The remarkable naval display is made possible by the fact that the Jamestown Exposition is the first great American fair held on a deep-water harbor. Practically all the civilized nations have accepted the President's invitation to send sections of their navies. As the summer advances the varying types of fighting craft, from saucy torpedo boats to the largest war vessel afloat, will pass through the harbor in endless procession. The United States Government will have an extensive display, showing the evolution of guns and fighting ships from the early days of the Nation to the present. There will also be a large encampment of militia, regular army and foreign troops.

There are twenty-five battleships and cruisers in the line headed by the Connecticut just off the Government pier at Fortress Monroe, which trails away up the broad channel leading to Norfolk. The vessels are anchored several thousand yards off the Exposition shore, and, arranged in a huge semicircle, are visible from every part of the grounds.

Every type of fighting craft in the American navy is represented in the present rendezvous. The battleships range from the 16,000 ton Connecticut and Louisiana down to the all but abandoned Texas, the oldest American battleship and sister of the Maine, which was wrecked in Havana harbor.

The Texas was built at the Norfolk navy yard many years ago, and, being a local product, is to remain at the Exposition as a permanent feature of the naval exhibit. With her eight guns and paltry 6315 tons of weight the Texas, when ranged alongside the mammoth Connecticut, which mounts twenty-four guns and displaces 19,000 tons of water, offers a striking example of the progress of the American navy since the days of 1886, when the Texas and the first Maine were authorized by Congress.

The Brooklyn, bearing on her after turret the memorial plate simply and eloquently inscribed "July 3, 1898," will also remain a permanent naval exhibit during the seven months of the life of the Exposition.

The cruisers of the fleet are all modern craft, though the variance in size between the largest and the smallest is as great as that which marks the heavier vessels of the battle class.

The armored cruisers Tennessee and Washington, each of 14,500 tons and mounting twenty guns apiece, are the heaviest of the cruisers. The smallest cruisers are the Denver and the Cleveland—3100 tons each—the third class of the protected vessels of the navy. In the cruiser class the most interesting vessel is perhaps the Brooklyn, the flagship of Rear-Admiral Schley in the battle with Cervera's squadron off Santiago, Cuba.

The fleet has been arranged so as to give the visitors to the Exposition the best possible opportunity for viewing the fighting strength of the American navy. The glistening white hulls, spotless in their new coats of paint, and the buff superstructures of the two and three piped line-of-battle ships and armored and protected cruisers, form a marine panorama as viewed from the water front esplanade of the Exposition grounds such as has seldom, if ever, before been presented to the American public.

The Navy Department has prepared a list of the foreign vessels to be in Hampton Roads.

The British fleet will consist of four armed cruisers—the Good Hope, Argyll, Hampshire and Roxbourg, under the command of a Rear-Admiral.

The German fleet will consist of the armored cruiser Roon and the protected cruiser Bremen, under the command of a Commodore.

The Austrian ships will consist of the armored cruiser Sankt Georg and the protected cruiser Aspern, under the command of a Commodore, who will be promoted to be a Rear-Admiral.

The Brazilian fleet, under a Rear-Admiral, consists of the battleship Riachuelo, the cruiser Barroso and the gun vessel Tamoyo. The Brazilian fleet will be the only foreign one containing a battleship.

The Argentine Republic will send the training ship Presidente Sarmiento under the command of a commander.

The Japanese fleet, in command of a Vice-Admiral, will consist of the armored cruiser Trukuba and the protected cruiser Chitosa.

It is noticeable that while Japan sends some of her finest warships to represent her navy, and one of her foremost generals, the Russian Government will not be represented by a single ship, nor is it known that any officer of her army will come here.

The other foreign countries to be represented will be France, Italy, Chile and Portugal.

Italy will send two vessels in command of a captain, the armored cruiser Varese and the protected cruiser Etruria. Chile will send the protected cruiser Ministro Zentene under the command of a captain, while Portugal will send a protected cruiser, probably the Don Carlos. Spain has not signified her intentions of sending any war vessels.

The entertainment committee of the fleet is now arranging a water carnival. Each vessel of the great fleet has been asked to provide a float for the occasion. The pageant will be on some evening yet to be determined. Several ships have already decided on the floats they will send. Three will send three of their cutters to represent the three old-time craft which brought the Pilgrims to Jamestown.

Another float will represent the Great Harry, a renowned ship of war of that period, and on the request of the Admiral the Navy Department is now searching the archives to know just what the vessel was like. Then there will be pirate ships, gondolas, a float showing Neptune and his trident and much else besides. During the carnival the ships will be illuminated, and there will be a hundred searchlights playing over the brilliant scene.

Aside from such diversions the strong armada will have little to do in the waiting days. The ships long ago completed their toilets and are so spic and span they hurt the eye. Nowhere is there an atoning blemish. It is all spotless buff and white, touched off here and there with the glint of polished steel and the shimmer of shining brass.

From the flagship definite announcement came that the fleet will disperse on May 15. Two divisions will then go to sea for manoeuvring purposes, one division will go to navy yards for such minor repairs as may be needed, and one division will remain here until relieved by one of the divisions coming in from manoeuvres. The four divisions, sixteen battleships in all, are to reassemble here on June 10, set apart as Georgia Day, when there will be a celebration in honor of the birthday of the mother of President Roosevelt.

As the foreign ships arrive they are officially welcomed by a boom of cannon from the Connecticut, the flagship of Rear-Admiral Robley D. Evans, commanding the Atlantic fleet. All the American vessels now at anchor belong to this fleet.

The unique feature of the Exposition will be the harbor for small craft, with an area of 1,280,000 square feet, inclosed by piers, costing the United States Government \$400,000.

MARVIN MURDER THEORY

Farm Hand Suspected of Causing Missing Delaware Lad's Death.

Search For Kidnapers Abandoned—Body May Have Been in Bag Carried Away.

Dover, Del.—Through a statement made to Detective Frank H. Lore, of New Jersey, by Horace Caldwell, a farm hand, of Kitts Hammock, Frank H. Butler, who is now locked up in the Dover jail, is charged with the murder of Horace N. Marvin, Jr., the four-year-old son of Dr. H. N. Marvin, who disappeared mysteriously from Bay Meadows, the Marvin farm, on the morning of March 4.

Butler, who was a farm hand employed by Charles Woodall, the man who sold Bay Meadows to Dr. Marvin, was the last person known to have seen the Marvin lad. Suspicion has been directed against him for several weeks.

Butler a few weeks ago obtained a job as deckhand on the steamer John P. Wilson, of the Dover and Philadelphia Navigation Company.

Lore, Lorenzo D. Woodruff and James Hawkins, State detective, of Delaware, went to Philadelphia and boarded the steamboat John P. Wilson, which was about to start for Lebanon.

After the vessel reached Delaware waters at the mouth of Jones River, Butler was served with a warrant issued by Justice of the Peace E. F. Wood and sworn to by Detective Hawkins. He took his arrest coolly. During the next three hours, up to the time the vessel docked at Lebanon, Butler was put through a sweating process by the detectives.

Butler denies knowledge of the disappearance of the child and reiterates that the boy was sitting on a haystack on the Marvin farm when he and several other men, who were moving the effects of the former owner of the land, left the place. Butler, Caldwell says, was ordered to go to the barn and load up wheat screenings in bags. This he did, and when Caldwell later entered the barn he found that Butler had loaded three bags into a wagon and a fourth was lying on the floor of the barn. Caldwell says he lifted this bag into the wagon himself and found it heavy, although Butler had said it was filled with corks such as are used by fishermen for nets. This bag, Caldwell says, disappeared. Acting on the theory that this bag contained the body of the child the detectives decided to charge Butler with murder.

It is the theory of Lore and Hawkins that Butler accidentally ran over the boy, and, rather than take the dead body to the house, concealed it in a sack of corks and removed it to the woods, a mile and a half from the Marvin farm, where he buried it.

ONE RHODE ISLAND SENATOR.

Legislature Adjourns With the Deadlock Unbroken.

Providence, R. I.—Despite the pressure brought to bear by the Republican organization, the Rhode Island Legislature adjourned without having elected a Senator to succeed George Peabody Wetmore. Only one vote was changed by the final efforts of the party leaders, and on the eighty-first and last ballot the vote stood: Colonel R. H. I. Goddard, Providence, (Democrat,) 41; Colonel Samuel Pomeroy Colt, Bristol, (Republican,) 39; George Peabody Wetmore, Newport, (Republican,) 30. Thus until the Legislature meets next January Rhode Island will have only Senator Aldrich in the upper house of Congress.

SLAIN ON WEDDING EVE.

Belle Stroup Lures Ross, Shoots Him and Commits Suicide.

Oil City, Pa. — While discussing with his family at the dinner table plans for his wedding that night to Miss Edith D. Sampson, Thaddeus Stevens Ross received a call to the telephone. He left the house, saying he would return soon.

He was found dead an hour later in the office of a prominent physician, with the body of Miss Belle Stroup, a former sweetheart, lying at his feet.

Miss Stroup was twenty-eight and Ross thirty-five. He was a postoffice employe and a veteran of the Spanish-American war.

Miss Sampson, the bride-elect, is well nigh crazed with grief.

VILLAGE JUSTICE A SUICIDE.

Found by Wife at Other Woman's Door, Gardner Shoots Himself.

Paterson, N. J.—When confronted by his wife, Frederick W. Gardner, a wealthy resident of Ridgewood and Justice of the Peace, shot and instantly killed himself at the door of the home of Mrs. Benjamin Eglin, the young wife of the village blacksmith.

Gardner acted as Justice of the Peace and Town Collector, not because he desired revenue from these offices, but because he had a hobby of serving as a public official. His father, who died several years ago, left him a fortune. He was fifty years old. He leaves a widow and a fourteen-year-old daughter.

Territory For Negroes.

Governor Broward urged the Florida Legislature to ask Congress to take steps to purchase territory for the isolation of the negroes of the United States.



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BITS OF NEWS

WASHINGTON.

Frederick I. Allen, United States Commissioner of Patents, resigned.

The Administration, it is said, is laying plans to institute criminal proceedings against E. H. Harriman.

President Roosevelt will leave Washington for his summer home at Oyster Bay on June 12.

The Treasury Department has given notice that if white clerks in the Fourth Auditor's office do not wish to work under a negro they can resign.

President Roosevelt will urge the European nations to join him in his disarmament program at The Hague Peace Conference.

Chief Justice Fuller, in the Supreme Court, announced that the present term of the Court would be closed on May 22.

Senator Penrose, of Pennsylvania, made his first call at the White House since the "conspiracy dinner" in March.

William Loeb, Jr., secretary to the President, will, it was reported in Washington, resign his office to become president of the Washington Railway and Electric Company.

Assistant Postmaster - General Hitchcock, who returned to Washington from the South, denied that the President sent him on a political mission, but said the Republicans of Georgia, South Carolina and Florida were all Roosevelt men.

OUR ADOPTED ISLANDS.

Fifteen hundred cigarmakers, employed by a firm with factories in San Juan, Porto Rico, and at Bayamon, struck for an increase in pay and better and more material to work with.

There are probably forty varieties of bananas cultivated in Hawaii, but only some half a dozen of these have a commercial value.

Havana newspapers discuss with interest the suggestion for the federalization of the Cuban capital.

General Jose Miguel Gomez gave out a platform on which he seeks the liberal nomination for the Cuban Presidency.

No rain has fallen in the southern districts of Porto Rico in six months, and it is estimated that forty per cent. of the sugar crop will be lost.

Purchase of Cuban church property for government use brought out charges of graft against American officials in Havana.

Manila's budget for 1906-07 is about \$1,500,000, of which \$146,000 is for schools, and \$418,000 for police. After a while those amounts will be reversed.

Pearl fishing in Moro Province, Philippine Islands, can only be done now by vessels built in the United States, or in the Philippines.

DOMESTIC.

John D. Rockefeller deeded his property in Cleveland and Cuyahoga County, Ohio, to his son, and gave land worth \$2,000,000 to the University of Chicago.

Labor unions are to complete a defense fund of \$1,000,000 for Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone. About \$101,000 has been contributed in New York City.

Chairman Ingalls of the Big Four called upon the railways to observe the laws and predicted a panic should the present railway conditions be prolonged.

Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y., celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Ezra Cornell, its founder.

David Willcox, formerly president of the Delaware and Hudson Company, shot himself at sea.

It was positively announced that the value of the bonds stolen from the Trust Company of North America, New York City, is at least \$500,000.

The cruiser Baltimore arrived at the Brooklyn Navy Yard after four years' service in the Far East.

In a fire at Fulton, Ky., four children of a Greek merchant named Hodad were burned to death.

It was announced that the State Banking Department would examine the securities with various trust companies in New York City.

Robbers dynamited the safe in the postoffice at Avon, Mass., getting \$300 in cash and stamps.

FOREIGN.

The peasant deputies of the reactionary party were received by the Russian Emperor. Their appeal for an audience has drawn bitter attacks from the radicals.

There was further rioting on the Island of St. Lucia, and the Governor sent a telegram to Barbadoes saying that aid was urgently needed.

M. Pichon announced that France's policy at the Peace Conference at The Hague would follow the course adopted at the first meeting of delegates.

The British tank steamer Lucifer, from New York for Belfast, was abandoned at sea, her crew being taken on board the British steamer Sagami.

Amin es Sultan, former Persian Grand Vizier and long exiled, has arrived in Teheran, being received with marked distinction by the Shah.

The \$75,000,000 German Treasury bond issue was subscribed some forty-five times over.

A further proof of the good will of the Russian Premier, M. Stolypin, toward the Russian Duma has been given in his proposal to allow experts to advise Parliamentary commissions.

PLEADS "UNWRITTEN LAW"

Judge W. G. Loving Kills Young Theodore Estes in Virginia.

Manager of T. F. Ryan's Estate Says No Power Could Have Prevented Death of Daughter's Assailant.

Lynchburg, Va.—Former Judge W. G. Loving, who shot and killed Theodore Estes at Oak Ridge, the country estate of Thomas F. Ryan, was admitted to \$5000 bail. He will plead the unwritten law at his trial.

Charging Estes with drugging his daughter Elizabeth, aged nineteen, and assaulting her while in a drugged condition, after learning of the alleged incident from the lips of his daughter, Judge Loving drove some eight or ten miles before locating the young man, and he shot and killed him with a double-barreled shotgun, without waiting for the victim to make any explanation.

Judge Loving represented Amherst County before moving to Nelson in the Legislature and served as Judge of the County Court of Nelson until that court was abolished by the new Constitution. For three years he has been in charge of the Ryan estate as superintendent. Bail Commissioner Payne, who allowed Judge Loving's bail, made the following statement:

"Judge Loving learned that Estes had taken his daughter riding Sunday night, and he brought the girl back home drugged and unconscious. Judge Loving waited until he could get the full story from the girl's lips about the drugging and assault, and then he took his gun and went in search of Estes.

Judge Loving said: "When I heard the awful story from the lips of my dear one I was insane. I waited to learn all the facts and then nothing in God's or man's power could have stopped me from taking his life. I did it after careful consideration."

Miss Loving is in a highly nervous condition as the result of the affair, and is confined to her bed. Harry Snead, a brother-in-law of Judge Loving, learned from his sister, Mrs. Loving, of her husband's mission, and he made a desperate effort to stop him, reaching Oak Ridge three minutes after the shooting. No further trouble is anticipated.

WRECKS DUE TO RUSH ORDERS.

Railroads Demand Material to Make Their Tracks Safer.

Chicago.—Imperfect steel rails, hurriedly rushed out of the big mills to meet the extraordinary demand for material, are held responsible for the multiplying train wrecks and the appalling loss of life and enormous destruction of property. This statement was made by some of the most prominent operating officials in the United States. They are here attending the spring meeting of the American Railway Association, the most powerful organization of its kind in the railway world.

Aided by chemical experts and noted metallurgists, a committee composed of prominent operation officials has been making a quiet investigation which has convinced its members that the time has arrived to make a demand on the steel rail manufacturers of the country for material which will make the operation of American railways a great deal safer.

PRESIDENT DEFENDS COURSE.

Mentions Labor Leaders and Harriman As Undesirable Citizens.

Washington, D. C.—In a letter President Roosevelt defended his course in speaking of Moyer, Haywood and Debs, the labor leaders, and E. H. Harriman, the capitalist, as "undesirable citizens." The letter was in answer to a protest from the "Cook County Moyer-Haywood conference," of Chicago, against what the President said about Moyer and Haywood, officers of the Western Federation of Miners, who are to be tried for the murder of ex-Governor Steunenberg, of Idaho.

Honore Jaxon, of Chicago, chairman of the Moyer-Haywood conference, wrote to the President that his reference to them was designed to influence the course of justice in the trial of Moyer and Haywood. The President in reply not only holds that he had a right to say what he did, but condemns Jaxon and his colleagues on the ground that they have organized to prevent a fair trial for the accused men.

FAIRBANKS' PLANT BURNS.

Vice-President Loses \$350,000 in Fire at Springfield, Ohio.

Springfield, Ohio.—The Indianapolis Frog and Switch Company, a large manufacturing concern, owned by Vice-President Fairbanks and operated by his brother, N. H. Fairbanks, and his brother-in-law, M. L. Milligan, was totally destroyed by fire.

The building covered three acres. N. H. Fairbanks said the loss would reach \$350,000.

SEBASTOPOL ROBBERY.

A band of armed robbers drove up to the postoffice at Sebastopol, Russia, made the officials hold up their hands under penalty of being shot, took \$5000 of the postoffice funds and escaped, leaving no trace of their identity.

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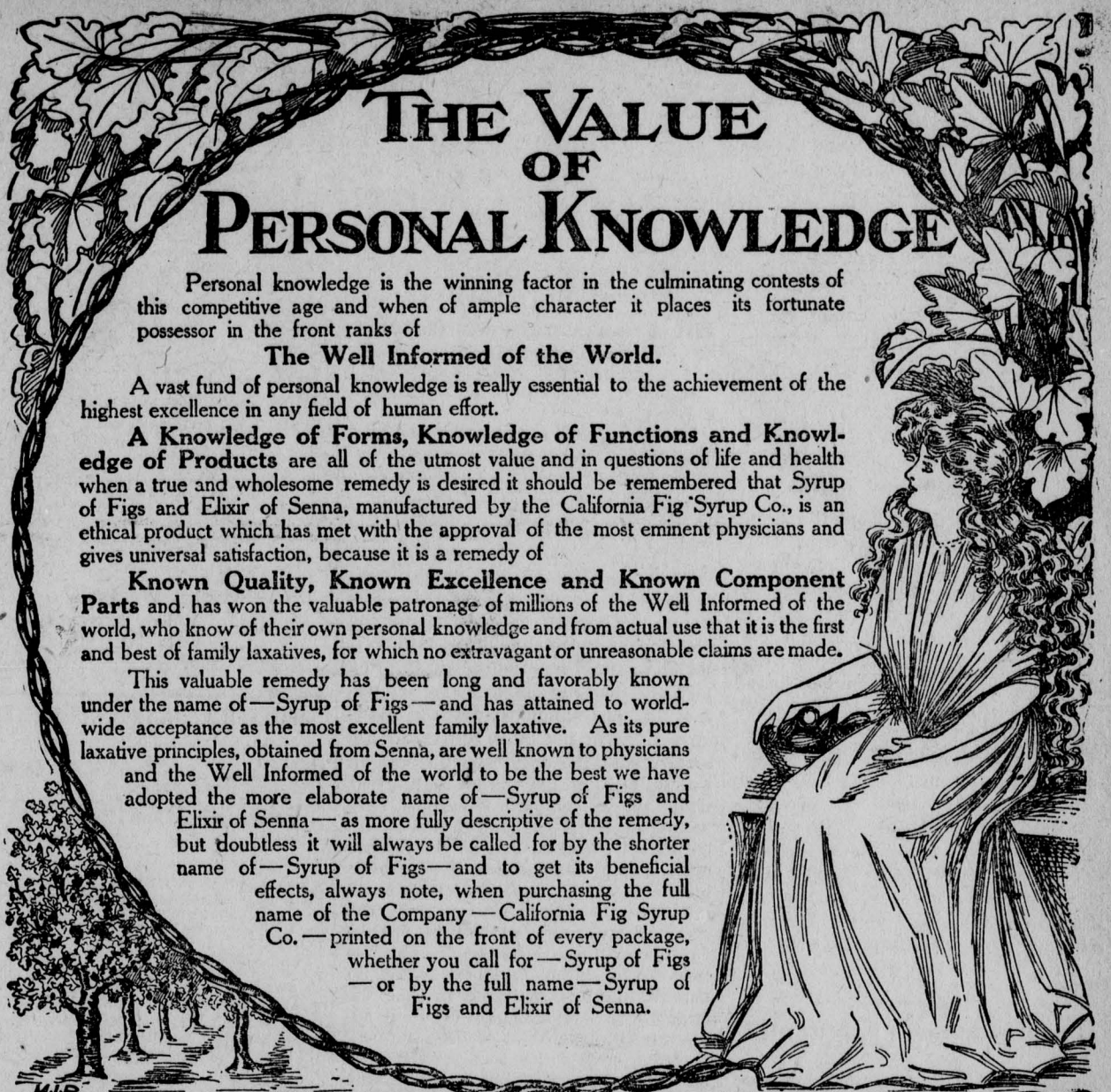
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Pike Not a Marrying County.

Not a marriage license has been issued in Pike County this year, and there is no little guessing as to what is at the bottom of this state of affairs.—Stroudsburg Correspondence Philadelphia Record.

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Justice Geo. E. Law, of Brazil, Ind., Has Married 1400 Couples.

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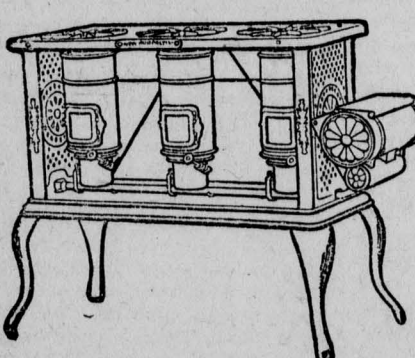
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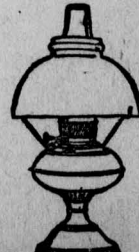
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The "Endless Chain" Nuisance

After Sir Launfal had spent the greater part of his life in search of the Holy Grail he returned without it to his home. There at his gate sat the same beggar to whom years before he tossed a piece of gold. "The beggar raised not the gold from the dust". Now in his old age, tired and weary and worn he shared with him his little repast. And lo, when they had eaten the beggar disappeared and in his stead stood the Christ, and the very cup from which they both drank was the Holy Grail.

A similar story might be written about the nonsense in sending in sending out nine anonymous letters to friends. The dollars and cents spent in sending this stuff through the mail might be better spent in helping poor, starving humanity in foreign parts of the globe.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

May 5: "Counting the Cost." "Whosoever he be of you that renounceth not all that he hath, he cannot be My disciple."

By REV. WALTER J. YATES, D. D. Passages for reference—Matt. xix, 21, 22; Luke ix, 58, 60, 62; Matt. vi, 19-23; Mark viii, 34-38.

"A new broom sweeps clean" is an old saying which has an application to personal life, as well as to matters of household interest. Many people are attracted by whatever is new. If it is put in striking form and urged with some degree of eloquence, almost any cause will gather followers. Few have the ability to closely examine a question and decide accurately as to its reasonableness, its truth or error. Most are not convinced by cool logic. In fact, few are skilled to follow processes of reasoning unless of the simplest nature. We are all influenced more by feeling than by argument. So a speaker who puts the gospel message in a persuasive and pathetic way often wins disciples who have little idea of all that is involved in the Christian life.

It is likely that the personal presence of Jesus, His mode of speech and the sympathy He showed with suffering and the relief He gave to the sick often gave Him a multitude of followers who sought Him for the material gain they hoped to get through Him. Some, like Judas Iscariot, seem to have clung to Him with this idea in mind almost unto the last.

But Jesus was careful to correct all such wrong expectation. The passages given us for study this week set forth this matter in the clearest manner. We need to make it plain to all just what Christ offers and what He does not promise. Those who would come into the church with the thought of obtaining power, position and advancement in honors, wealth and influence, who hope for any sort of betterment of their worldly condition, should be shown plainly that none of these things are promised. Beyond question there are such things that men do gain who are Christians or at least who are members of the church, but these are not the durable riches of Christ.

This demand of exclusive devotion to Himself made by Christ on all His followers is not unreasonable. A divided allegiance is treason in any cause. In no other realm is this more true than in the matter of religion. True relations to God, from the very nature of the case, must be placed before any and all other considerations. If one deep in his soul cares more for what people say or think of him than for the way God regards him, it is useless to talk of that man's religion. He may have a lot of other things, but he has no religion worth speaking of.

To get on with God one must throw himself upon God with utter self abandonment. This is more than self denial. It is the passion of self sacrifice. It is the imperious demand of an all mastering love. It requires all and in exchange it gives all.

It is best to count the cost as fully as possible. Not a few begin the Christian life with no adequate idea of the demands of Christ. They have more or less desire to be better, to be good or to get some good. Some unwise leader for some cause wishes to get as many names of converts as possible and overruns such half ready ones into open public profession and then leaves them there. No wonder at the first temptation they are overcome. Let us be honest and plain in this

matter. Better a few true disciples than a multitude of those who are afraid of every cross and are seeking selfish ends instead of a pure heart and the love of God.

If you would follow Jesus, understand at the very start He demands all the life and all the heart and will take nothing less. Have you made the full surrender? If not, where are you and what do you expect? Best comply with His conditions at once.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Prayer Meeting Topic For the Week Beginning May 5.

By REV. S. H. DOYLE.

Topic.—The power of a contented life.—Phil. iv, 10-20.

In the last few years we have heard much about certain kinds of life, particularly "the strenuous life" and "the simple life." Each has had distinguished advocates. The strenuous life has been preached by no less a personage than the president of the United States, and Pastor Wagner of France has distinguished himself by proclaiming the doctrine of the simple life. It is certainly "a consummation devoutly to be wished" that life might be characterized by more simplicity, that the minds of men might not be so absolutely absorbed with the one idea of amassing wealth, but that they might realize that while "life is real, life is earnest," yet their Creator did not plan that it should become one mad rush to heap up riches or to do anything else that may even be more worth the doing. God made man to enjoy this life as well as the life to come, and when it is so strenuous that anxiety is its chief characteristic or so simple as to be useless to mankind and unprofitable to God, the aim of life is not achieved. Paul advocates the true ideal of life—the contented life. His life was most strenuous in one sense, for no man was ever busier or accomplished more in one lifetime. In another sense it was a simple life, for it had but one supreme object—his own salvation and the salvation of others. From a worldly standpoint it was not always successful. He was often hungry, often in peril by land and by sea, often persecuted, and, on the other hand, he often abounded in plenty, had times of peace and security and the blessings of the dearest friendships. But, whether his lot was one of joy or sorrow, pleasure or pain, prosperity or adversity, it mattered not, for his great soul had learned in whatever state he was there-with to be content. And no life is so blessed as the contented life. Would that all of us enjoyed a larger share of it.

1. The contented life as defined by Paul was not contentment with his personal spiritual attainments. He was discontented with himself, for in the third chapter of this letter to the Philippians he declares that he had not attained perfection, but was ever reaching forward toward it, "pressing toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus." We need to guard against any spiritual self complacency. This is usually the contentment of spiritual death rather than a sign of advanced spiritual life. The Pharisees possessed this kind of contentment. They were so certain of their spiritual condition that they thanked God that they were not as other men, and yet Christ called them "whited sepulchers" and declared that to His disciples unless their righteousness exceeded that of the scribes and the pharisees they were not fit for the kingdom of heaven.

2. The contented life as defined by Paul refers to contentment with the external conditions of life, with the lot that God has apportioned to us in life. This is the contentment that all men need. And this is true regardless of the conditions of our lives socially or financially. Many of us imagine that contentment is possible with the possession of wealth and high social and political position; that if we could only gratify our desires we would be contented. But this is a gross mistake. The wealthy are often the most discontented and unhappy of people. The more we have the more we crave. Pleasure palls. Prosperity wearies. No, the rich as well as the poor need the solace of contentment. To many their wealth is a burden. Without Christ it is always a dissatisfaction. "If I had only my millions," said a dying rich man, "I would be most miserable, but I have Christ, and He is worth more than all."

3. The secret of the contented life is to be learned, and Christ alone can teach it. Paul says "I have learned" to be content. He was probably not always so, but Christ had taught it to him. Christ gave him strength to bear fortune or misfortune. "I can do all things through Him that strengtheneth me." Christ taught him to live by faith instead of craving the world's wealth to live by; Christ taught him that the spiritual should be emphasized above the physical and the eternal in preference to the temporal, and contentment came. Christ can teach us these same things, and through Him we can learn the secret of contentment.

BIBLE READINGS.

Ps. xvi, 1-11; Prov. xiv, 1-14; Eccl. iv, 1-6; Matt. v, 3-6; vi, 24-34; John xiv, 1-3, 27; Rom. v, 1-5; viii, 18, 28; I Tim. vi, 6.

STATEMENT of the financial condition of the Borough of Mapleton for the year ending March 5, 1907.

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" " Auditor General..... 3 71
" " J. W. Henderson for fines and licenses..... 61 80
" " collector..... 544 82
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By vouchers.....\$357 43
" 2 per cent. on Treasurer..... 7 15
Balance in Treasurer's hands..... 477 92

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We the undersigned auditors of Mapleton Borough being duly sworn according to law do certify that we have audited the accounts of the Collector and Treasurer of Mapleton Borough for the year ending March 5, 1907, and find same as above stated.

Witness our hands and seals the 14th day of March A. D., 1907.
J. MELVIN MILLER,
C. W. SWOPE,
EDWARD MCCALL,
Auditors.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

DIRECTOR OF THE POOR—I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Director of the Poor of Huntingdon county subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries to be held June 1, 1907.
J. QUINCY DELL,
Cass Township.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE—I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Associate Judge of Huntingdon county subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries to be held June 1, 1907.
GEORGE W. WRIGHT,
Mapleton Depot.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE—I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Associate Judge of Huntingdon county subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries to be held June 1, 1907.
ALEXANDER ELLIOT,
Huntingdon.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE—I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Associate Judge of Huntingdon county subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries to be held June 1, 1907.
W. W. FULLER,
Mount Union.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE—I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Associate Judge, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries on Saturday, June 1st, 1907.
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MILL CREEK. The Saunterer.

Of course you noticed that all the good matrons were busy cleaning house and the early garden makers have been also busy. The most noticeable improvements is the new poultry yard erected by Dr. Green with such facility for handling his fowls. The Dr. would meet with fine success which all his friends wish for him. Among the visitors in town during the week we note Miss Nellie Dickenson from Juniata College, who was a guest of her friend, Miss Charlotte Goodman of Henderson township. Mr. and Mrs. William McDonald, of Huntingdon, were visiting friends in the borough and Brady township. Mrs. Leonard Stoll, of Allentown, spent a day at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bordells. Cholmer, Jay and Vance Simpson spent Sunday in town. Mrs. Dr. Hunter, of Mt. Union, was a Sunday visitor at the home of Mrs. Nancy Eby. Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Rex, of Mapleton, attended the funeral of Moses Lightner Sunday afternoon. Mrs. David Ritter spent Sunday in Huntingdon, with a niece who is sick. Mr. Isaac Goshuch was in Lewistown Friday last, called there on account of sickness of his sister, Mrs. Collins. The lady is somewhat improved. Mrs. L. N. Faust and son Ben were on the sick list the early part of the week, but are now as good as new. Miss Viola Cogley closed her school last Thursday. The lady left with the best wishes of pupils and patrons, having been very successful as an instructor for two seasons. The ladies of the Lutheran congregation met at the home of Mrs. Coy last Thursday, to finish a quilt which will be sold to swell their church fund. These good women are indefatigable workers. Bertha Stroup, of Huntingdon, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Howard Stroup. Miss Myrna Goshuch and Edna Rudy are students at Juniata College. Miss Goshuch having commenced work Monday last. Mrs. Calvin Bowsmon is nursing a sore foot, caused by a nail puncture, which seems unwilling to yield to ordinary treatment. The funeral of Mr. Moses Lightner from the M. E. Church Sunday afternoon, was attended by a large number of his old friends and neighbors. Mr. Lightner was a resident of this vicinity for many years, having raised a large family, many of who were in attendance also many grand-children to show their love to one whose life was such as to command respect from all who knew him. He was for many years a member of the M. E. church and in the seventies when Mr. Isaac Goshuch, Mr. S. A. Anderson and Bro. Lightner would join in discussion of some biblical point, the younger members of the large bible class were satisfied so listen. Knowing well that the point in question would be perfectly elucidated by this coterie of bible students.

MARKLESBURG.

After an absence of two months your correspondent is at the old stand. Not April showers but April snows has been the rule this month. M. L. Summers, of Pittsburg, is spending a few days with his mother at Aitch. George Montgomery, mother and sister of Shavers Creek, are occupying the house lately erected by H. P. Reynolds. Geo. W. Wright, Jos. M. Wilson, and Wm. E. Lightner, candidates for the office of associate judge, have called on the dear people in this section. Late visitors were Wm. Hatfield and wife of Huntingdon, at the home of Sam'l G. Hetrick; Mrs. George Goshuch of Everett John Steinbach of Philadelphia; Dr. A. B. Brumbaugh and wife of Huntingdon; Dr. Jacob Frank and wife, Miss Blanche Frank, and Mr. Adam Fouse of Philadelphia, Harry Frank of West Va., Mr. and Mrs. James H. Issett of Ash Run, Mr. and Mrs. Barton Issett of Six Mile Run, Mr. B. H. Grove and wife, Clarence Grove and wife of Huntingdon. These nearly all were in attendance at the funeral of Mrs. Wilmore, nee Grove, on the 21st inst. The amount of freight shipped and received at Marklesburg station during the present month has exceeded any month in the history of the H. & B. T. R. R. two car loads of sand are being shipped daily from our station, and yet the demand is not satisfied. Prof. Boyers school opened on the 22d inst with thirty students in attendants and more to follow. Rumor says that two saw mills are to be put in operation on the timber lands of Benj. F. Grove in the near future. Among our students from a distance we notice Miss Glasgow, of Calvin, Miss Edith Horton and Miss Flora Creamer, of Trough Creek, Miss Harriet Norris, of Finks Bridge, Keith brothers of Eagle Foundry, and Messrs Hall and Wright of Entekin. In passing through our town we notice a beautiful porch lately erected on two sides of J. W. householder house; that painter first has freshened up, Frank Brumbaugh's cosy home; that our old friend, Samuel Beaver, late of Williamsport, has added needed improvements to his new home; and that our boyhood chum, Theo. Honck late of Saxton, has made necessary changes to his late purchased.

SALTILLO.

house cleaning is the orner of the day. William Norris our diphtheria victim, we are glad to say is out again. No other cases. Mrs. Ettie Rolls who has been sick for sometime, is very much better at this writing. Miss Lida Jamison continues to improve her home, by adding heat, bath room and hot and cold water all through the house. It will be quite a convenience. H. L. Weaver is having the inside of his house newly painted and papered. Messrs. Kirk and Barnett, from Wells Tannery are doing the work. They understand their business. Miss Edith Wylenm, is home for a short time from Pittsburg. Laurence Crum one of Mt. Union's eu-

ergetic clothing merchants was in town Thursday on business and calling on old friends. Come again.

Paul Rupert and family attended services at Meadowgreen, Sunday P. M. They reported a fine sermon by Rev. McClain, of Cassville.

KNIGHTSILLE.

Spring is approaching. Farmers busy sowing oats, lumbering is the leading business in this place. A. J. Forshey was a caller in town Saturday evening. If you want lumber or ties marketed with dispatch, employed Mr. B. F. Whitel. Prof. C. H. Drake of Trough Creek valley was calling on friends in this place and Salttillo Friday and Saturday returning with three felines in a box, the Prof has an eye for blooded stock. Several new buildings are going up in this place this spring. We are glad to note that Henry Parks, who was so very sick at Jacobs' on Wednesday is able to be around again. Wheat is looking well and the steam mill in Salttillo is chopping now and will be making flour very soon. Where is the grangers bank? It looks as though a march was stolen, "Stop, look, think, and listen."

Cascasweet for babies is the best remedy for colic, summer complaint, diarrhoea and sour stomach. It is especially good in cases of teething when irritation affects the stomach and the intestines. Cascasweet is a pleasant, safe remedy, containing neither opiates nor narcotics; all the ingredients are printed plainly on the Wrapper. Endorsed by mothers because it acts so quickly. Sold by Wright & Dell.

For a cold or a cough take Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. It is BETTER than any other cough remedy because its laxative principle assures a healthy, copious action of the bowels and at the same it heals irritation of the throat, strengthens the bronchial tubes and allays inflammation of mucous membrane. Contains Honey and Tar, pleasant to take Children like it. Conforms to the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by Wright & Dell.

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NOTICE.

The Sixth and Final Account of Ellen O. Van Tries, (nee Oliver) Committee of Sarah Oliver as filed by J. C. Meyer and Dr. Thomas C. Van Tries, Administrators of &c., of Ellen O. Van Tries, deceased, having been filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Huntingdon County on the 21st day of January, 1907, will be allowed by said Court on the 13th day of May, 1907, unless cause be shown why said account should not be allowed.

I. N. Swope, Proth'y. Proth'y's Office, Huntingdon, Pa., April 15, 1907

NOTICE.

The Account of Chas. D. Horton, Admr. of J. W. Horton, deceased, who was Committee of Josiah Shaffer, a Lunatic, having been filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Huntingdon County on the 19th day of February, 1907, will be allowed by said Court on the 13th day of May, 1907, unless cause be shown why said account should not be allowed.

I. N. Swope, Proth'y. Proth'y's Office, Huntingdon, Pa., April 15, 1907.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE

Estate of A. Lincoln Smith, Deceased. Letters of administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of A. Lincoln Smith, late of Altoona, deceased, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are notified to make settlement of said and those having claims against said estate to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

L. R. SMITH, Administrator. 412-Bell Ave., Altoona, Pa. April 1, 1907.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Lydia Bumgardner, Letters of administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of Lydia Bumgardner, late of Cass township, deceased, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are notified to make settlement promptly and those having claims against said estate to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

A. C. Greenland, Administrator, Calvin, Pa. March 30, 1907. 61

MISCELLANEOUS.

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WANTED—Locust wood suitable for insulator pin, 5 in. and up, 4 ft. 1 inch long, none to be split. All good wood delivered to the mill at Mapleton will be paid for on the 10th of each month for the delivery of the previous month. For further information address L. F. Treaster, Milroy, Pa. or J. B. Shuman, Huntingdon, Pa.

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We want to call your special attention to our Queensware and China department. We have the best Queensware department that was ever in this town.

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PARKER'S STORE NEWS.

Fall Builders' Hardware Necessities

We shan't weary you with a long story, but we want you to know we are selling all staple goods at rock-bottom prices and will meet prices on all first-class standard goods. We are not selling you something for less than cost and then catch you on something you do not know the price of to make up the loss.

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FELTS AND RUBBERS OF ALL KINDS.

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Flour and Feed at Bottom Prices

Anything You Need. Come and we will Try to Suit You.

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"May" Greetings From H. Guy Weaver's General Store.

During May the most pleasant month in all the year we propose giving to all our old and new friends every day Bargains unheard of as follows

GROCERIES.

19 lbs Granulated sugar for \$1
8 cakes Star Soap for 25c
3 cans good Peas for 25c
3 cans good Corn for 25c
Arbuckles Coffee for 17c
5 gal 150 Test Coal Oil for 60c
7 cakes Lighthouse Soap for 25c
7 cakes Toilet Soap for 25c
All loose Coffee 1 cent per lb less than regular price
50 lb sack flour quality guaranteed for \$1

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Car load of Shorts just arrived, Car load of Ear Corn and one of Shelled Corn coming in any day. Prices in lots off cars very low. Flour, Chop, Bran and grains at lowest prices. Call on us or write for quotations, letters cheerfully answered, prompt attention given mail orders.

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SALTILLO - - - - - PENNA.

TO SLEEP.

O gentle lover of a world day-worn,
Taking the weary light to thy dusk
arms,
Stealing where pale forms lie, sunhurt
and torn,
Waiting the balm of thy oblivious
charms,
Make me thy captive ere I guess pursuit,
And cast me deep within some dream-
less close,
Where hopes stir not, and white, wronged
lips are mute,
And Pain's hot wings fold down o'er
hushed woes!
And, if ere morn thou choos'st to set me
free,
Let it not be, sweet jailer, through the
door
That timeward opens, but to eternity
Set thou the soul that needs thee never-
more:
So I from Sleep to Death may softly wend
As one would pass from gentle friend to
friend.
—Olive Tilford Dargan, in Scribner's.

The Greatest Scare I Ever Got.

By G. R. O'Reilly.

Although I have hunted for and caught the most venomous of snakes, and always kept a collection of them living in my house, yet under certain circumstances I fear them as much as any one else.

Of all the snakes of Florida, that which most claimed my attention when I arrived there was the great diamond rattlesnake (*Crotalus adamanteus*), that most dangerous of all the living creatures that ever inhabited the wild places of the South.

Fortunately these great vipers are not plentiful. One may live two or three years in the wildest part of the country and never see one; yet they may be encountered anywhere.

Throughout most of my sojourn in Florida I have lived or camped in the woods, that the subjects of my study might be around me.

One morning, as I was getting ready to set out from my woodland retreat for a ramble along the waterside, I saw three boys come running toward the house. One of them had a shot-gun, and a dog galloped along before them. Some fifty yards off they halted, and the panting leader called, "Do you want a big rattlesnake? We've found one, and you can catch him easily. He's coiled up in a hollow tree."

"Where is he?"

"Oh, half a mile off, up there in the woods."

"Did he rattle?"

"No, he didn't rattle. He's asleep." "Oho!" thought I "It's some harmless pine-snake or large king-snake"; for people often mistake these big mottle reptiles for rattlesnakes. The chances are that this one, if he was a rattlesnake, would have rattled as soon as he was discovered by three fidgety boys and a frisky dog.

Believing, therefore, that it would prove to be some large, harmless snake that I might possibly want to add to my collection, I seized my six-foot snake stick and set out at once with the boys. I made no other preparation whatever. I did not even put on leggings.

In a few minutes we were close to a thicket of palmetto and sweet myrtle. "In there he is," said the boys, pointing to the thicket; and just as they spoke I saw, marked across a moleheap by the path, the broad, smooth trail of a rattlesnake. It was nearly four inches in width.

Leaving the foot-path and going over toward the thicket, I saw the same mark on two other mole-heaps. From this I judged that most probably the boys were right, and that they had really seen a rattlesnake and a large one.

Before entering among the bushes, the boys called up the dog, and held him in leash lest he should run up on the snake and be killed, as are many dogs in Florida every year.

"You go in first," said one of the boys. "We'll follow and show you where he is."

"Give me that gun, then," said I; for it was dangerous enough to have one or more rattlesnakes before me, without also having behind me a gun in the hands of a nervous boy. Of the two the rattlesnake was the lesser risk.

We came to an open space where a tree had fallen. It was an oak laid low by a storm. Its branches were now leafless and rotten, and the trunk lay across a pine stump, which held it up some three feet above the ground. Near by was the old oak stump from which it had broken off, with a good sized hole rotted into its side. This opening was down at the ground and at its lower part not large; but at the top it was wide.

"He is in that stump," said the leading boy. "If you go over and look down through the hole in the top you can see him."

Telling the boys to stay where they were, and watching every step I took, lest I might accidentally put my foot on another rattlesnake—because there are often two where only one is seen,—I went over to the oak stump and peeped down into its interior.

"Why, there's no rattlesnake here!" said I.

"Well, he must be there," said one of the boys, "because we never bothered him; and he was asleep and didn't rattle. And we all looked in at him. Didn't we, Tom?"

"Come and look for yourselves," I said, "and you'll see he's not here now."

So they all trooped over to my side and peeped down into the hole in the stump, and were much disappointed to find that he was not in it.

As the sun was shining into the hole at the top, I dropped down on my knees to look in through the lower orifice, so as to be sure whether a rattlesnake had really lain there or not. A momentary glance convinced me that the boys were telling the truth; for there on the soft, black mold at the bottom was the imprint of his body. Even in the entrance the soil was freshly rubbed where he had passed, going in and coming out again.

"All right," I said, jumping up. "He was there, sure enough; and he is not far off now."

I handed back the gun to the boy who owned it, and then I said, "Will you help me to look for him?"

"Of course we will."

"Very good. The first thing to do is to stand still where you are, and search with your eyes every inch of the ground you can see."

Now this open space was almost clear, the only thing growing in it being a sparse and meagre crop of huckleberry bushes not more than a foot in height. If the rattlesnake were there we could probably discover him.

For some minutes we looked and looked, but could see no sign of him. Thinking that he might be lying under the shady myrtles surrounding the open patch, I sent the boys into the bushes, with instructions to keep in the thicket about ten yards in from the edge, and beat carefully all around the circumference of the clear spot. I explained to them that if they kept too close to the edge they would probably come upon the snake, and maybe one of them might get bitten; but by keeping about ten yards in, and walking in a line one behind the other, the sight of them would cause the snake to shift his quarters, and probably make him go back to the hollow stump.

In order to watch for this very move, I myself took up my post behind the trunk of the fallen oak, which, as I have said, lay across a pine stump that held it up about three feet from the ground.

I pulled the brim of my hat down over my eyes so as to see the better, and then, leaning my elbows on the fallen trunk, watched constantly in front on the bushes behind which the boys were beating. My six-foot stick was laid along the trunk in front of me, and while I stayed there, leaning on my elbows, I kept my hold on it with both hands.

Of course I was as motionless as if I were part of the trunk itself. The only bit of me that moved was my eyes. If a snake or any other animal had come into the clearing, it would really have considered me to be a part of the old prostrate oak, or at least a natural fixture in the place, like the stumps and tree trunks. No doubt to the rattlesnake we were now seeking I was just that and no more, for when the boys had finished their fruitless circuit and had come out again in the clearing, one of them at once cried:

"Look out! Look out! There's the rattlesnake right at your foot!"

I did not move a muscle. On the contrary, I bent ever nerve in my body to keep quiet.

"My feet and legs must stay still," I thought, "but I must see him."

Slowly, very slowly I bent my head and looked down.

Yes, I was in a predicament, for there was a large rattlesnake five feet long and as thick as a man's arm. He was slowly coiling himself between my feet, the coil resting on my shoes.

Now I was not greatly alarmed until the dog ran up close by, with his tail waving. The sight of the dog so scared the snake that he began to rattle. It was the most terrible signal of danger that I ever heard in my life. I have heard rifle-bullets whizzing over my head and seen them tearing up the earth round me, but they never made me feel half so grave as did that snake buzzing on my toes.

The dog heard the rattle and seeing the snake, began to jump round, barking at it, now at this side and now at that. The foolish animal dashed in nearer and nearer to the snake, which kept its rattle going and its head pointed constantly at its barking enemy. As for me, I knew that I was not in real danger so long as I kept my feet and legs motionless.

To the snake's mind, that excited dog was the danger he dreaded, while I was to him a buttress of strength behind him—a part of the fallen trunk on which I was leaning.

I knew snakes well, so I held my ground.

"Call off that dog!" I shouted to the boys. "Don't you see he's going to get killed?"

They called and called in vain. But finally one of the boys flung a stick at the dog, which made him retreat some ten yards or so.

To make matters worse, the boy

with the gun leveled it at the snake, crying out to me:

"Stay still, mister! Stay still, and I'll blow his head off!"

"Put away that gun this instant! Don't you see you'd shoot my feet? Keep still, all of you, and I'll manage this snake. I'm not in half the danger you think. Now, boys, do just as I say. Don't utter one word, but just stand where you are in silence. Take off your caps and begin waving them over your heads."

The boys did as I told them. They waved their caps vigorously; and the snake did just as I knew he would do. He turned his head toward the boys, who appeared to threaten him, and then he kept steadily watching.

Me he heeded not, for me he knew not; for, although I spoke, and even shouted to the boys and to the dog, yet I stayed all the time motionless, so that he never was aware that I lived. I proved years ago that sounds are lost on snakes, for they have no ears, internal or external, and could not hear if they wanted to. But they are quick to see moving things, and quick to take fright, too, if the thing is large or unusual. However, if the movement is made very, very slowly, the snake will take little notice of it—or none at all, if it is slow enough. Knowing this, I proceeded in the right and only way to get rid of my unpleasant visitor.

Slowly, so slowly that you could hardly detect my motion, I brought my stick, gripped firmly in both hands, into a vertical position over the rattling snake. Gradually, inch by inch, its point imperceptibly descended. Now it was within a foot of him; now within six inches; now within three; now actually inside his coil at the very spot where I wanted it. His rattle was occasionally buzzing against my leg, but there was no danger to me, for he never once noticed either me or my stick, but kept his eyes ever turned toward the boys.

To lose my head meant to lose my life.

The end of the stick, as I have said, was now within his coil, at the only point where it would be surely effective. I calculated this to a nicety. It was at the exact spot on the snake's side where half of his weight lay on one side of it, and half on the other. Over the old oak trunk, gently and imperceptibly, I leaned forward and to one side, bracing myself carefully so as to be able to throw all my power into one sudden jerk. Then, just when I was quite ready, that hitherto unfelt stick point flew outward and upward; and the astonished rattlesnake went sailing through the air, not knowing what on earth had happened to him.

Some twenty yards off he landed near the dog; and that unfortunate brute, seeing the long flying thing alighting, rushed at it, and was instantly bitten in the neck.

I could not help him. In five minutes he was dead.

The boys gave one shout when they saw the snake sent so cleverly sailing away from me through the air; but now the sight of their dying dog roused their anger, so that I could hardly restrain them from shooting the rattlesnake, which was coiled and rattling where he fell.

But at last I persuaded them to spare the snake and go back to the house for a box to put him in.

I got him into it without difficulty. At home I transferred him to a glass-fronted cage. But unfortunately, the fire which soon after destroyed my house and one-third of my collection, reduced him and his cage to ashes.—Youth's Companion.

Gold in City Street.

"The days of old, the days of gold, the days of '49," were recalled in a vivid manner in the heart of the business section of town, the other day. Considerable sand had been washed down the gutter and street from the hill above, and some thinking mortal tried a shovelful in a miner's pan. He quickly found colors, and in a short time any number of business men and others were hard at work with all kinds of pans and utensils washing the dirt in a tiny stream in the gutter near by. Some made as much as \$2 in a short time, while even the veriest novice found colors. It is argued that a rich ledge lies in the hill at the end of the street, and prospecting may be started in an endeavor to locate the home of the fine gold.—Nevada City Correspondence in the Sacramento Bee.

Our Sensitive Government.

As a train from Washington recently slowed up below the station at a small town in Virginia the mailbag was thrown to a darky lad of perhaps 12 years, who at once started off on a brisk trot to the postoffice. He had not gone more than ten yards before a larger negro boy ran into him, almost knocking the youthful messenger off his feet. "Look heah, niggah!" exclaimed the messenger, with a glance of indignation, "Youse tryin' to git in jail, ain't you? Youse interferin' wid de United States' mail, niggah. When yo' jars me yo' ja's de government of de United States."—Harper's Weekly.

Rapid growth of the finger nails is a sign of good health.



Boiler Stick.

A boiler stick should be made of wood and must be quite smooth, to avoid tearing the linen, and free from metal, which would cause iron mold. It is kept near the boiler to press the clothes under water, and also for lifting the hot clothes out of the boiler. It should be made very strong and long.—New York Press.

For a Luxurious Bath.

Bath bags are a rather expensive luxury if bought at the chemist's. They may be made at home, however, at small expense. Bags of cheesecloth are the best. These should be made about three or four inches square, and filled with the following mixture. Not too much should be put into each bag: Two and a half pounds of oatmeal, half a pound of almond meal, half a pound of orris root (powdered), and quarter of a pound of pure soap, which has first been scraped to a fine powder.

Wall Paper and the Sick Room.

"I am glad the walls of my bedroom are not papered," said the invalid. "Nobody but the sick know how nerve-racking it is to lie all day long looking at the wall paper that doesn't match. It matches well enough, you understand, for people who are well. They never would notice where the flowers failed to hitch, or the stems met too far down the fraction of an inch, but we notice it and worry over it and cry sometimes because it worries us so."

"My wall is painted light blue, the color of the skies. It doesn't hurt my eyes at all to look at it. It doesn't worry me. When the curtain is down it is the very roffest kind of blue, so gratifying that I fall asleep looking at it."

"Oh, yes, the only thing to do with the walls of the sick room is to paint them light blue."—New York Press.

Artificial Respiration.

Lay the patient on the back, with a pillow or roll or coat or any garment under the shoulders so as to allow the head to fall back. Then kneel at the head of the patient, grasp the arms by the elbows across the stomach, raising them over the head to a perpendicular position. Draw them backward straight, then forward to the sides again, pressing the arms on the lower part of the ribs and side so as to produce a bellows movement on the lungs. Do this for sixteen or eighteen times a minute. Camphor, smelling salts or ammonia may be applied to the nostrils to excite breathing and the limbs should be rubbed briskly upward. As the patient revives, hot stimulating drinks may be administered as stimulants. If brandy or whiskey is used, anywhere from two teaspoonfuls to four tablespoonfuls in hot water is considered the proper proportion.—Washington Star.

Recipes.

Rice Tomato Soup.—Take beef stock, add 1 cup of rice, 1 can of tomatoes (onion if liked), salt and pepper to taste.

Chocolate Caramel.—One cup molasses, 1 cup sugar, butter size of an egg, boil a little while, then add 1-4 pound grated chocolate which has been dissolved in 1-2 cup of hot milk; stir into above while boiling; cook until candied; flavor to taste.

Nut Stuffing.—This stuffing may be used for either goose or duck. Bake 4 good-sized white potatoes, scoop out the centres, press them through a sieve or colander, add a cupful of finely chopped black or English walnuts, a level teaspoonful of salt and a teaspoonful of black pepper, mix thoroughly.

Mock Turkey.—Chop sufficient nuts, English walnuts, pecans and a few almonds to make a pint, add 1 quart of well-cooked hominy grits or dry boiled rice, 2 level teaspoonfuls of salt, a saltspoonful of black pepper and half a cupful of dried bread crumbs. Add 1 unbeaten egg, mix and form into a roll the size and shape of a turkey, baste with melted butter and bake in a moderate oven for one hour.

Lemon Cake.—Beat the whites of two eggs stiff, then beat the yolks into them until light, cream one-half cup butter, adding little at a time a cup of sugar; cream to a froth, add one-half a cup sweet milk and one teaspoon lemon flavoring. Sift all together 1 1-2 cups flour, 1-4 cup of cornstarch, 1 teaspoonful baking powder and 1-2 teaspoonful salt. Add to the other ingredients, beat well and bake in a moderate oven 35 or 40 minutes.

STATE NEWS BUDGET.

Double Tragedy Stops Wedding.

Thaddeus Stevens Ross, a prominent young man of Oil City, was shot three times and instantly killed by Miss Belle Stroup, who belongs to a good family. The woman then shot herself through the heart. The tragedy occurred in the office of Dr. Geo. W. Magee, former Assemblyman, while the physician was at lunch. Ross was to have married Miss Drusilla Sampson, of Oil City, and Miss Stroup was a former sweetheart of Ross and had been jilted. Miss Stroup arrived from Bradford, where she had been employed in a hospital, and went directly to the office of Dr. Magee. Finding no one in the office, she called Ross on the telephone and asked him to come to the office and see her. When Dr. Magee returned from lunch and opened the door he found the bodies. In a chair in a corner of the office sat Ross, his head lying back on the chair. His forehead was burned with powder where a bullet had entered his brain. Another ball had pierced his heart. Miss Stroup was lying a few feet away, face downward, with a wound in her left side. Miss Stroup was born near Oil City. Both her parents are dead and she is survived by one sister and two brothers, who live at Coal Hill. Ross was a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ross and was thirty-five years old. He held a position in the postoffice. He was a veteran of the Spanish-American War and served in the Philippines with the regular army at its close.

Women to Own Factory.

Bradford is to have a factory owned, controlled and operated entirely by women. It will manufacture the practical inventions of a clever woman. The directors of the company are Mrs. Fred A. Miller, Mrs. C. E. Hazelton, Mrs. Thomas Kennedy, Mrs. John Melvin and Mrs. A. J. Bond. All are society leaders in Bradford and the company is to be known as the William Frank Waitt Company. William Frank Miller, son of Mrs. Fred A. Miller, founded the movement. William Frank's athletic abilities kept his mother busy for several years keeping his underwaists in repair and finally, failing to find a waist that would meet the requirements, she designed one herself. The company will start with a paid-up capital of \$15,000.

"Dying" Man Lived 25 Years.

Peter Zellis died at Sunbury, aged eighty years. Twenty-five years ago, when the "graveyard insurance" craze was at its height, he was a favorite subject. At that time he was a thin-faced, consumptive-looking man, but was really in sound health. He would pretend to have a hollow cough and people thought he was dying. It is said he was paid for the privilege of allowing the speculators to insure his life, and made as much as \$5000 when the craze was at its height.

Mine Mishaps Fill Hospital.

Not since the fatal clash between marching ministers and deputies at Latimer in 1897 has the State Hospital at Hazleton been so crowded as it is now, and it was necessary to install four additional beds for the accommodation of patients, of whom fifty-three are being treated. During the past few months more than the usual number of accidents have occurred in and about the mines, and the daily average of patients has been from forty-eight to fifty.

Horse Domestic Barometer.

For the fourth time in the past year Edwin Clewell, of near Schoenerville, took his wife's horse and sold it, after arriving home from a ten days' sentence in the Germantown jail, following an escapade in which he ran off with the same beast. Clewell is usually a good husband, except that the day following most every quarrel with his wife the horse and Clewell are missing.

Women Voters to Be Citizens.

The Howard constitutional amendment, allowing women to vote for school directors and on all educational questions, was amended by Mr. Smith, of Allegheny, so that the women must be citizens of the United States for five years.

Trestle a Death Trap.

Ethel Buck, aged fifteen, granddaughter of Peter E. Buck, was struck by a passenger train on the trestle west of Third street at Ashland and instantly killed. Eva McConnell, a companion, who was with her at the time, narrowly escaped the same fate.

Fifty Years in a Poorhouse.

Abram Barnhart died at the Danville almshouse, of which he had been an inmate for fifty years, going there when nine years of age. Since then he has not spent one night away from the institution.

To Protect Pennsylvania Birds.

The lower house of the Legislature at Harrisburg passed a bill prohibiting the buying, selling or wearing for adornment of any Pennsylvania wild bird or part thereof.

Two Killed in Mine.

A falling roof of coal killed Patrick Gallagher and John Novack in a Delaware and Hudson mine at Olyphant. William Price sustained serious injuries, but may recover.

Girl Burned to Death.

While Edith Gohn, aged ten, was burning rubbish at her home near Aircville her clothes caught fire and she was burned to death.

JAMESTOWN EXPOSITION OPENED BY PRESIDENT

Presses Golden Button at Norfolk
That Inaugurates Fair.

HAMPTON ROADS NAVAL REVIEW

Booming Guns and Waving Flags of
Warships a Spectacle For Thou-
sands—Thirty-eight American
Ships in Line.

Norfolk, Va.—The Jamestown Ter-
centennial Exposition—a land and
water display such as never was at-
tempted in this country or on foreign
shores—was opened with that pomp
and ceremony which always attends
an event where the President of the
United States is a central figure and
diplomatic representatives of foreign
nations, Governors of States and like
dignitaries are honored guests and
participants.

Incident to the opening President
Roosevelt reviewed from the deck of
the Mayflower the war vessels
anchored in Hampton Roads. He
reached Discovery Landing early,
having been transferred in a naval
launch from his yacht, and amid ap-
plause from the thousands gathered
to voice their welcome he was re-
ceived by the Exposition manage-
ment.

Then followed the program for
opening to the public the enterprise
commemorating the three hundredth
anniversary of the first English set-
tlement in America, which included
an address by Harry St. George
Tucker, president of the Exposition,
and one by President Roosevelt, sing-
ing by the Exposition chorus of 700
trained voices, the pressing of the
gold button by President Roosevelt
which marked the formal opening
and a review by the President of the
assembled military forces.

The day was begun officially with
a salute of 300 guns. This banging
of heavy ordnance was kept up for
the greater part of the forenoon.
Such a booming and crashing and
crackling Norfolk had not heard since
the Merrimac, which they call the
Virginia in these parts, ran amuck
among the Union ships in nearby
waters. This was a signal for the
trend of humanity to railroad trains,
street cars and boat lines, which from
that moment poured people into the
grounds.

The Mayflower with the President
and Mrs. Roosevelt and a party of
guests aboard drew near to Hampton
Roads just about breakfast time. Be-
hind her came the dispatch boat Dol-
phin, with Secretary of the Navy
Metcalf. The steamboat Newport
News arrived at the Fortress Monroe
dock with Secretaries Cortelyou, Gar-
field and Straus, the Diplomatic
Corps and others of official promi-
nence. An army transport brought
high ranking officers of the army
from Washington. The Congressional
representation, headed by Speaker
Cannon, had arrived at Fortress Mon-
roe the night before. All these vari-
ous contingents were accompanied
by many women, the wives and other
members of the families of those who
attended the opening exercises in an
official capacity.

It was 8.30 o'clock when the re-
view of the assembled fleet was be-
ing begun. The Mayflower steamed
between lines of grim warships, for-
eign and domestic, and when she
came to anchor the flag officers of the
several divisions were received by the
President on board his yacht.

From the time the Mayflower
started on her cruise around the fleet
until the President left her to go
ashore to the Exposition grounds
there was an almost unending series
of salutes. Every ship in that im-
posing gathering fired twenty-one
guns in honor of the Nation's Chief
of State, and every Admiral who
came aboard the Mayflower to pay his
respects got proper honors from the
yacht's saluting battery.

There were thirty-eight vessels of
the American Navy and ten foreign
warships in the great fleet assembled
in Hampton Roads to do honor to the
occasion. Rear-Admiral Robley D.
Evans, commander-in-chief of the At-
lantic naval station, was in charge.
The assemblage of craft that "as
under his immediate command was
great enough and imposing enough
to make any nation proud. Sixteen
floating fortresses and more than that
number of smaller ships composed
the American contingent.

According to the program, Presi-
dent Roosevelt left the yacht May-
flower for the landing at the Exposi-
tion grounds at 10.30 o'clock. He
was met by a military escort, who ac-
companied him to the receiving stand
in the grounds. Here the principal
exercises of the day began shortly
after the President's arrival.

A distinguished gathering received
the President and his party at Dis-
covery Landing. It included Harry
St. George Tucker, president of the
Exposition, and all the general offi-
cers of the Exposition, Rear-Admiral
P. F. Harrington, in charge of the
naval program, and Major-General
Fred. D. Grant, who arranged the
military attractions. When Mr.
Roosevelt stepped ashore from the
Mayflower's launch, he received his
first formal welcome from Mr. Tuck-
er. "Old Virginia salutes you, sir,"
he exclaimed, as he grasped the Presi-
dent's hand. After an exchange of
greetings during which the bands
played patriotic selections, the party
proceeded in carriages to the grand
stand. The cheering crowd pressed

the outriders and surged after the
line of carriages which took the most
direct route around the main audi-
torium building to the scene of the
inaugural. The procession was a
triumphal one for the President, but
it was equalled later by the welcome
given him as he entered the review-
ing stand. The formal program
opened with an overture by the
bands—"Jamestown Dixie," which
was composed especially for the oc-
casion—followed by a selection by
the Exposition chorus and prayer by
the Right Rev. Alfred Nagill Ran-
dolph, Bishop of the Diocese of South-
ern Virginia. After the chorus had
sung the official opening hymn, by
Wilberforce G. Owst, President Tuck-
er faced the multitude. Mr. Tucker's
address was of a historical and chron-
ological character, and at its conclu-
sion he introduced President Roose-
velt. It was some minutes before he
could proceed with his address. The
people again and again gave vent to
their enthusiasm. The President be-
gan his address at 12.06 o'clock. That
he might be better seen and heard,
he mounted a table, which raised him
high above the heads of his audience.
He was greatly concerned by the dan-
ger in the crowd to women and chil-
dren. To discourage enthusiasm, he
said at the outset of his address that
he should ask the audience "to make
the speech as much a monologue as
possible."

There was nothing in this address
to meet the expectation in some quar-
ters that Mr. Roosevelt would make
some startling declaration of contem-
plated policy. The President merely
repeated some of his well-known
views.

He said that the country's greatest
problem to-day is the proper control
of the business uses of great wealth,
and reiterated the declaration that
there shall never be a government
by plutocracy in this Republic. The
only allusions made to domestic af-
fairs—either business or social—
were covered in two or three para-
graphs. Towards the close of his
speech he declared that the duties
which most concern us of this genera-
tion are social and industrial. It was
1.10 o'clock p. m. when the President
finished. There was more cheering
then.

As President Roosevelt pressed the
gold button which formally opened
the Exposition it was a signal for
the unfurling of a thousand or more
flags on the various buildings. At
the same time a signal was given to
the United States and foreign war-
ships and to the garrison at Fort
Munroe, and all fired a salute to the
Union. When the echoes of the last
gun died away, all of the bands on
the Exposition grounds played the
"Star Spangled Banner" and the
troops saluted the national anthem
by presenting arms and all persons
present bared heads.

After this impressive ceremony the
President of the United States, his
Cabinet, members of the Diplomatic
Corps, committees from both
branches of Congress, Governors of
States and official guests of the Ex-
position were served luncheon in the
auditorium annex. During the
luncheon the parade ground was
cleared and the great crowds secured
places around the walks to witness
the military pageant. On the review-
ing stand, besides the President, were
members of his Cabinet and other
official visitors as well as several
hundred especially invited guests.

While the military feature was not
large it was of a splendid character.
It was commanded by Major-General
Fred. D. Grant as grand marshal,
who was attended by his entire staff.
In addition he had about a score of
honorary aides, chosen largely from
Union and Confederate societies and
historical associations.

The foot organizations were formed
in double rank and passed in review
in company front, while the cavalry
and artillery passed in columns of
platoons. No honors were paid along
the line of march except the salute
to the President. After the review
the United States and foreign naval
detachments returned to their ves-
sels, and the army detachments went
to Camp Captain John Smith, which
is the name given in an order by
General Grant to the post at the Ex-
position grounds.

After the military review the Presi-
dent held a reception and greeted
many of the visitors and guests at the
exercises.

PEACE TREATY SIGNED.

Salvador's Conditions Accepted and
Nicaragua's Demands Rejected.

San Salvador—A treaty of peace
between Salvador and Nicaragua was
signed at Amapala by ministers rep-
resenting both countries. The terms
of the treaty are honorable to both
countries. The conditions proposed
by Salvador were accepted, and the
demands made by President Zelaya of
Nicaragua for reparations for Salva-
dor's part in the recent war between
Nicaragua and Honduras and that
there be a free interchange of com-
modities between Nicaragua and Sal-
vador were rejected.

BOMB KILLS TEN MEN.

Thirty Terrorists Escape With \$2000
at Lodz.

Lodz, Russia.—Thirty terrorists,
armed with automatic pistols, held up
a carriage in Rokicln street in which
part of the money derived from the
Government sale of vodka was being
transported to the bank. The car-
riage was escorted by soldiers. The
terrorists threw a bomb, which de-
stroyed the vehicle, killed three of
the soldiers outright and mortally
wounded five more, as well as the
coachman and a Government employe
who had the money in charge. The
robbers seized \$2000 and escaped.

LIVES LOST IN COLLAPSE OF A NEW B. & O. PIER

Half a Score of Workmen Killed
at Locust Point, Md.

WHARF'S UNDERPINNING FELL

An Engineer Explains That Outer
Wash Had Softened Clay Bot-
tom On Which Piers Rested—
There Will Be an Investigation.

Baltimore, Md.—With a roar that
terrified thousands, and a rush that
drove a wave six feet high to distant
parts of the inner harbor of Balti-
more, nearly half of a new pier under
construction at Locust Point broke
away from the shore end and plunged
into the water.

Out of the wreckage three dead
bodies have been taken. Five men
are missing, and their bodies are al-
most certainly beneath the ruins, and
eighteen men are suffering from in-
juries more or less severe.

The dead are Howard L. Ellender,
civil engineer, aged twenty-eight;
Robert Sweetman, carpenter, aged
forty-five, and Antone Woelfel, ele-
vator erector, aged fifty-six.

The missing, believed to be dead:
Jacob Windenberger, laborer; Harry
Ward, elevator workman; William W.
Vaughn, colored, whitewasher; Geo.
B. Montgomery, colored, whitewash-
er; Buddy Johnson, colored, white-
washer.

While many theories are advanced
no one is willing to say with anything
like certainty why the catastrophe oc-
curred.

The new pier was being built by
the Baltimore Bridge Company and
the McLean Contracting Company for
the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad and
was to have been used by the steam-
ers of the Johnson line. It was a
two-story structure, 930 feet long,
about 500 feet of it being on land.
The water end was built upon piles
upon which a thick bed of concrete
was laid and above this rose the su-
perstructure of steel. The water sec-
tion of the pier was approaching com-
pletion and was under roof. This
section was separated from the land
end by a heavy wall of masonry.

About 11 o'clock there were heard
warning cracklings, and the workmen
were being called to places of safety
when, as many of them were strug-
gling through the doors in the fire
wall this collapsed, and, with 430 feet
of the water end of the pier, plunged
into the harbor, carrying a number of
men with it.

Of the ninety-six employees of the
Baltimore Bridge Company at work
on the pier one is known to be dead,
one is missing and the others are ac-
counted for. The three colored
whitewashers were working near the
extreme end of the pier, and no hope
of their escape is expressed.

Ellender, the dead civil engineer,
who was acting Superintendent of the
McLean Contracting Company, lost
his life in an effort to warn the men
of their danger. His body was not
recovered until three hours after the
accident.

Police, firemen and others, includ-
ing Mayor E. Clay Timanus, respond-
ed quickly to calls for help and every-
thing possible was done to aid the in-
jured and recover the bodies of the
dead.

CELEBRATION AT CORNELL.

The New State College of Agriculture
Dedicated.

Ithaca, N. Y.—The new buildings
of the New York State College of Ag-
riculture were dedicated. President
Schurman, of Cornell, introduced
Governor Hughes, who made a speech
congratulating the university on its
progress in the teaching of agricul-
ture and veterinary surgery. Then
he handed over a golden key, symbol-
izing Cornell, as the trustee of the
buildings.

General Stewart L. Woodford made
a vigorous plea for the cultivation of
military science and tactics. Nathan
J. Batchelder, master of the National
Grange, spoke on agriculture, as did
also Dean L. H. Bailey, of the College
of Agriculture, president of the Asso-
ciation of American Colleges and Ex-
periment Stations.

The student body sang the Cornell
Alma Mater, luncheon was served in
the gymnasium, and a reception held
in the new buildings.

Among the guests were John De
Witt Warner, State Engineer Skene
and Deputy State Engineer Getman.

THREE GIRLS KILLED.

Bodies Crushed by the Fall of a
Smokestack at Millville, N. J.

Millville, N. J.—By the toppling
over of the engine room smokestack
at the glass works of T. C. Wheaton
& Co., two young women were
crushed to death and a third was so
badly injured that she died a half
hour later. The dead are:

Sylvia Gallagher, seventeen years;
Lena Doughty, sixteen, and Lydia
Thurston, eighteen years. Three girls
also were more or less injured.

While the wind was blowing a gale
there was a terrible crash which
shook the whole plant. Thousands
of bricks came down on the roof of
the grinding room, where twelve men
and seven girls were at work. The
roof of the building was crushed into
splinters.

DEFECTIVE ARMOR PLATE

Representative Waldo Says Pri-
vate Builders Practice Frauds.

Many Rivet Holes in the United States
Warships Filled With Soap—
Months Needed For Repairs.

Boston.—Charges of gross frauds
in the building of warships by private
contractors were made here by Rep-
resentative George E. Waldo, of New
York. He spoke at a mass meeting
given in Faneuil Hall by the National
League of Employes of Navy Yards..

"Warships built under contract by
private concerns and almost imme-
diately after their completion sent to
the Brooklyn Navy Yard for repairs,"
he said, "have been found to have
rivet holes plugged with wood, putty
and soap, instead of iron rivets being
inserted. In one instance I know of
several hundred rivets supposed to
have been put into a warship built by
contractors, whose workmen filled
the rivet holes with putty and wood."

Brooklyn, N. Y.—Representative
George E. Waldo, at his home in
Brooklyn, repeated the charges that
faulty work had been discovered in
the construction of certain warships
built by private concerns. Mr. Waldo,
who is making a fight to have naval
vessels built in the Government
yards, said he knew of several ships
turned over as complete to the navy,
which had to have considerable costly
work done on them to fit them for
service. The battleship Louisiana,
sister ship of the Government-built
Connecticut, was one of the vessels
delivered as completed which was
not in shape for service, Mr. Waldo
said.

"When this vessel was delivered by
the contractors she was said by them
to be complete," said he. "Inspection
of her at the Brooklyn Navy Yard,
however, showed that many repairs
were needed. The sum of \$31,000
was asked, and the Government em-
ployes worked for six weeks on the
ship before she was in proper shape."

Officials at the Brooklyn Navy Yard
declined to express their opinions of
the statements of Congressman Wal-
do, either in affirmation or denial.
They were ready, however, to discuss
such cases as have already been made
public, and it was pointed out that
the Louisiana, built by private con-
tractors, offered perhaps the best ex-
ample of such construction as Mr.
Waldo referred to.

While private enterprise was build-
ing the Louisiana the navy yard force
was engaged in constructing her sis-
ter ship, the Connecticut. Although
the Louisiana was delivered at the
yards some months before the Con-
necticut was ready for the water, it
was found that she was not complete,
and it required some months of work
by the men at the navy yard before
the ship could be called finished. At
the time of her delivery by her con-
tractors not a gun was mounted, the
turrets would not work, and there
were many other details of construc-
tion which had not been completed.

Similar instances are offered by
the Washington and the Tennessee,
both of which needed several months
of additional labor by naval men
after their delivery at the yards, pre-
sumably prepared for service. Both
ships were built by private contrac-
tors.

BLINDNESS CAUSED SUICIDE.

Ex-Railroad Chief Had Lost One Eye
and Other Was Failing.

New York City.—Ill health and
worry incident to the prospect of los-
ing his eyesight were the reasons gen-
erally accepted for the suicide at sea
last Wednesday of David Willcox, ex-
President of the Delaware and Hud-
son Company. Mr. Willcox had lost
the sight of one eye and the other was
failing.

Fear of a life of comparative pov-
erty, because his entire fortune had
been swept away by unfortunate
speculation also was declared to have
been a cause of the suicide of the
close personal friend and adviser of
E. H. Harriman and Henry H. Rog-
ers.

HEAVY SNOW IN NORTHWEST.

Railroads Affected and St. Paul Car
Lines Blocked.

St. Paul, Minn.—The most furious
snowstorm that has occurred in the
Northwest this season prevailed for
twenty hours. All over the Dakotas,
as far west as Montana, the ground
is covered with from six to ten inches
of snow. Railroad traffic was de-
layed from five to fifteen hours.
Farmers have been delayed in their
seeding, and will be forced to re-
plant.

In Minneapolis and St. Paul the
street car system was blocked all day,
cars being pushed through intermit-
tently.

NITRATE MILL BLOWS UP.

Two Men Killed at Du Pont Powder
Works Explosion.

Haskell, N. J.—In an explosion
which could be heard for miles, the
nitrate plant of the Du Pont Powder
Works was blown up. Foreman An-
drew Larson, of Pompton Lake, and
Nicola Gurello, an Italian assistant,
were blown to pieces. Nothing re-
mains of the nitrate mill, and only a
ten-foot hole in the ground, fifty feet
square, marks its former location.

THE MARKETS

Wholesale Prices Quoted in New York

MILK.
The Milk Exchange price for standard
quality is 3 1/4 c. per quart.

BUTTER.
Creamery—Western, extra, \$ 34 @ 35
Firsts 32 @ 33 1/2
State dairy, finest..... — @ 33
Good to prime..... 30 @ 32
Factory, thirds to firsts..... 19 @ 23

BEANS.
Marrow, choice..... 1 90 @ 1 05
Medium, choice..... 1 45 @ 1 47 1/2
Red kidney, choice..... — @ 2 15
Pea..... 1 45 @ 1 47 1/2
White kidney..... 2 75 @ 2 80
Yellow eye..... 1 75 @ 1 80
Black turtle soup..... 1 90 @ 2 00
Lima, Cal..... 2 95 @ 3 00

CHEESE.
State, full cream, fancy.... 14 @ 15
Small 14 1/2 @ 15
Part skims, good to prime 8 @ 9
Full skims..... 2 @ 3

EGGS.
Jersey—Fancy..... 19 1/2 @ 20
State—Good to choice 18 1/2 @ 19
Western—Firsts..... 18 1/2 @ 17
Duck eggs 18 @ 25
Goose eggs..... 25 @ 30

FRUITS AND BERRIES—FRESH.
Apples—Greening, per bbl. 4 00 @ 7 00
King, per bbl..... 3 00 @ 4 50
Ben Davis, per bbl..... 3 00 @ 3 75
Cranberries, C. Cod, per bbl 6 00 @ 12 00
Jersey, per bbl..... 4 00 @ 7 00
Strawberries, per qt..... 10 @ 27

LIVE POULTRY.
Fowls, per lb..... — @ 13 1/2
Roosters, per lb..... — @ 11
Turkeys, per lb..... — @ 11
Ducks, per lb..... — @ 12 1/2
Geese, per lb..... 8 @ 10
Pigeons, per pair..... — @ 30

DRESSED POULTRY.
Turkeys, per lb 10 @ 14
Fowls, per lb..... 10 @ 14 1/2
Ducks, spring, per lb..... 23 @ 25
Squabs, per dozen..... 1 50 @ 4 25

HAY AND STRAW.
Hay, prime, per 100 lb..... — @ 1 20
No. 1, per 100 lb..... 1 10 @ 1 15
No. 2, per 100 lb..... 1 00 @ 1 05
Clover mixed, per 100 lb. 80 @ 1 05
Straw, long rye..... 60 @ 67 1/2

HOPS.
State, 1906, choice..... 16 @ 17
Medium, 1905..... 3 @ 5
Pacific Coast, 1906, choice.. — @ 11
Medium, 1905..... 7 @ 8

VEGETABLES.
Potatoes, old, per bbl..... 2 00 @ 2 25
Virginia, per bbl..... 1 50 @ 2 25
Tomatoes, per carrier..... 1 00 @ 2 75
Egg plant, per box..... 2 50 @ 3 50
Squash, per box..... 1 25 @ 2 50
Peas, per basket..... 1 50 @ 3 50
Peppers, per carrier..... 1 50 @ 3 50
Lettuce, per basket..... 1 50 @ 4 50
Cabbages, per crate..... 1 75 @ 2 25
String beans, per basket.. 2 00 @ 5 00
Onions, State, per crate... 50 @ 1 25
Conn., per bbl..... 2 50 @ 3 75
Carrots, per bbl..... 2 00 @ 2 50
Beets, per bbl..... 75 @ 1 25
Celery, per case..... 1 50 @ 3 00
Turnips, per bbl..... 75 @ 1 00
Okra, per carrier..... 2 00 @ 5 00
Parsley, per bbl..... 3 00 @ 6 00
Spinach, per bbl..... 1 50 @ 2 00
Watercress, per 100 bunches 2 00 @ 3 00
Lima beans, per crate..... 3 50 @ 4 50
Kale, per bbl..... 1 00 @ 1 25
Shallots, per 100 bunches.. 1 50 @ 3 00
Radishes, per basket..... 75 @ 1 00
Cucumbers, per basket..... 2 25 @ 3 25
Leeks, per 100 bunches..... 1 50 @ 3 00
Parsnips, per bbl..... 1 50 @ 2 00
Horse radish, per bbl..... 2 00 @ 5 00
Asparagus, per doz. bunches 1 50 @ 8 50
Oyster plants, 100 bunches 2 00 @ 4 00

GRAIN, ETC.
Flour—Winter patents..... 3 60 @ 3 85
Spring patents..... 4 20 @ 5 05
Wheat, No. 1 N. Duluth..... — @ 94 1/2
No. 2 red..... 84 1/2 @ 85 1/2
Corn, No. 2 white..... — @ 57 1/2
No. 2 yellow..... — @ 55
Oats, mixed..... — @ 4 1/2
Clipped white..... 40 1/2 @ 54
Lard, city..... — @ 8 1/2

LIVE STOCK.
Beeves, city dressed..... 7 1/2 @ 9 1/2
Calves, city dressed..... 8 @ 12
Country dressed..... 6 @ 9 1/2
Sheep, per 100 lb..... — @ 4 50
Lambs, per 100 lb..... — @ 7 25
Hogs, live, per 100 lb..... 6 00 @ 7 85
Country dressed, per lb.. 8 1/2 @ 9 1/2

SNOW DID MUCH GOOD.

Some Fruit Injured, But Grain Great-
ly Benefited.

Omaha, Neb.—As a result of the
unprecedentedly warm weather which
prevailed during March and the freez-
ing weather and heavy snowfall re-
cently, early fruits, such as peaches,
plums and cherries in this region
have been injured, but the general
opinion here is that the damage is
not so great as has been reported.
Indeed many think that while early
fruits have been injured and in some
cases killed, the benefits to the grain
crops from the snowstorm more than
offset the damage.

"Our reports from points along the
lines of our road are not unfavora-
ble," said G. W. Loomis, assistant
general manager of the Chicago, Bur-
lington and Quincy Railroad. "The
fruit in the southern part of Nebras-
ka, which the unusual warm weather
in March had brought to an advanced
state of development, is reported to
have been pretty badly damaged, but
little or no damage is reported from
points north. The snow, however, did
a vast amount of good to winter
wheat, and has put the ground in fine
condition for other farm crops.

"Our work has to do with weather
conditions and not to their effect on
crops," said A. L. Welsh, of the local
weather bureau, "but from such re-
ports as have come in I do not believe
conditions are so bad as they have
been reported."

Prosperity and Foreign Trade.

Rapid development of the automo-
bile industry in this country is re-
flected in the fact that the value of
machines exported has trebled in the
last three years and now balances the
value of the cars imported.

HUNTINGDON AND BROAD TOP RAILROAD.

On and after Monday, June 25, 1903, trains will arrive and depart as follows:

SOUTH			NORTH		
Expr's	Mail	STATIONS	Mail	F Line	
A M	P M		A M	P M	
8:35	5:56	Huntingdon	11:10	5:15	
8:45	6:05	McConnellstown	11:00	5:05	
8:50	6:09	Grafton	10:56	5:06	
8:55	6:14	Brumbaugh	10:51	4:55	
8:59	6:18	Marklesburg	10:47	4:51	
9:06	6:25	Entrick	10:40	4:44	
9:11	6:30	Beaver	10:35	4:39	
9:16	6:35	Cove	10:30	4:34	
9:27	6:46	Saxton	10:20	4:23	
9:31	6:50	Clark	10:15	4:18	
9:39	6:58	Riddlesburg	10:08	4:11	
9:44	7:02	Hopewell	10:04	4:07	
9:56	7:10	Cypher	9:56	3:59	
10:07	7:19	Tatesville	9:46	3:50	
10:17	7:27	Everett	9:38	3:43	
10:20	7:30	Mt. Dallas	9:35	3:40	
10:43	7:50	Bedford	9:15	3:20	
11:35	8:35	Hyndman	8:28	2:30	
12:05	9:05	Cumberland	8:00	2:00	

Sunday train leaves Huntingdon at 8:35 a.m. and returning 5:30 p.m.

SHOUP'S BRANCH.

SOUTH			NORTH		
Expr's	STATIONS	Expr's			
A M		P M			
9:35	Saxton	4:00			
9:50	Coalmont	3:45			
10:05	Crawford				
	Dudley	3:30			

CARL M. GAGE, General Manager.

EAST BROAD TOP RAILROAD and CO. CO Time Table No. 24, in Effect Monday, January 7, 1907.

SOUTHWARD			NORTHWARD		
No. 2	No. 4	No. 6	No. 8	No. 1	No. 3
a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
Mount Union	LEAVE 9:15	3:50			
Mount Union Yard	9:20	3:55	11:20		
Augh. Mills	9:32	4:08	11:32		
Shirley	9:45	4:20	11:45		
Orbisonia	10:00	4:35	12:00		
Boomer Junction	10:10	4:45	1:35	5:30	
Pogue	10:22	4:57	1:40	5:34	
Three Springs	10:33	5:12	2:05	5:50	
Saltillo	10:40	5:25	2:15	5:50	
Kimmel	11:00	5:45	2:35	6:10	
Cole's	11:13	5:58	2:50	6:38	
Rocky Ridge	11:18	6:03	2:55	6:38	
Martins	11:23	6:08	3:00	6:40	
Cook's	11:28	6:13	3:05	6:45	
Robertsdale	11:40	6:25	3:15	6:50	
Woodvale	ARRIVE		7:05		
	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.	
NORTHWARD					
Woodvale	LEAVE				
Robertsdale	6:05	12:40	8:25	4:30	
Cook's	6:15	12:50	8:35	4:40	
Martins	6:20	12:54	8:39	4:44	
Rocky Ridge	6:25	12:58	8:43	4:48	
Cole's	6:30	1:03	8:48	4:53	
Kimmel	6:38	1:10	8:56	5:01	
Saltillo	7:00	1:30	9:18	5:25	
Three Springs	7:10	1:38	9:25	5:32	
Pogue	7:25	1:50	9:37	5:42	
Boomer Junction	7:35	1:58	9:45	5:50	
Orbisonia	7:40	2:05	9:50	5:55	
Shirley	8:10	2:25	10:25		
Augh. Mills	8:20	2:35	10:35		
Mt. Union Yard	8:35	2:50	11:55		
Mount Union	ARRIVE 8:40	2:55			
	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.	

SHADE GAP BRANCH.

SOUTHWARD			NORTHWARD		
No. 12	No. 10	STATIONS	No. 9	No. 11	
a.m.	a.m.		a.m.	p.m.	
4:50	6:55	Lv. Orbisonia	7:45	5:45	
4:57	7:00	Groves Quarry	7:40	5:39	
4:58	7:01	*Blacklog	7:39	5:38	
5:06	7:08	*Cedar Rock	7:32	5:30	
5:09	7:10	*Locke Valley	7:30	5:27	
5:15	7:15	Ar. Shade Gap	Lv. 7:25	5:20	
	a.m.		a.m.	p.m.	

Train No. 8 will have right of track over train No. 1 between Orbisonia and Coles. All trains run daily except Sunday. The Company reserves the right to vary from the above Time-Table without notice. Trains will run on Rocky Ridge and Boomer branches on special orders. 18-Regular Stop. F-Stop on signal. Trains will not stop.

Pennsylvania R. R. Trains Leave Mt. Union WESTWARD-5:27 a.m., 7:43 a.m., 9:39 a.m., 11:02 a.m., 1:16 p.m., 4:51 p.m., 7:21 p.m. EASTWARD-6:17 a.m., 8:59 a.m., 11:58 a.m., 12:51 p.m., 3:11 p.m., 5:55 p.m., 7:29 p.m., 10:32 p.m.

R. S. SEIBERT, President and Gen. Mgr. E. C. HALL, Superintendent.

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